



LIEUT. JACK GROGAN

One of Victoria's finest rugby players, Lieut. Grogan, was killed during exercises with the Fleet Air Arm in Great Britain, according to word received here today. Grogan was in the city on leave during the past winter and turned out for the Victoria Me-Kechnie Cup team. He is survived by his father, L. A. Grogan, 1187 Beach Drive, and one sister, Mrs. David Angus.

### Alexander Now in Trieste

LONDON (AP)—Reuters reported tonight that Field Marshal Sir Harold Alexander and Gen. Mark W. Clark had arrived in Trieste. The report quoted the Rome radio.

### Monty Commands

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill announced today the appointment of Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery as commander-in-chief of British forces of occupation in Germany and the British member of the Allied Control Council in Germany.

### Merritt Delayed

VANCOUVER (CP)—Civil reception for Lt. Col. Cecil Merritt, V.C., has been postponed until tomorrow. Because of adverse weather his plane was grounded at Lethbridge this afternoon and he may not reach Vancouver until midnight.

### Graydon to Tour

OTTAWA (CP)—Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative House leader in the last Commons and delegate to the San Francisco Security Conference, will start an election campaign speaking tour from Vancouver, May 25, and will fill 14 engagements in nine days in his return across western Canada, party headquarters here announced today.

### Soldier Faces Trial

VANCOUVER (CP)—William J. Hainen will face assize court trial on a charge of murdering Olga Hawryluk, whose battered body was found on the English Bay shoreline May 2. Magistrate H. S. Wood ordered the commitment of the soldier today after hearing evidence from five police witnesses.

### Bellamy Funeral

VANCOUVER (CP)—Funeral service will be held Wednesday for Hugh G. S. Bellamy, 78, one of the first white children born at Esquimalt. He was son of a naval surgeon who came to Victoria in H.M.S. Zealous in 1867.

### Election Meetings

Addressing a Liberal Party rally at the Scout Hall, Esquimalt, at 8 tonight will be Capt. D. J. Proudfoot and R. W. Mayhew, Liberal candidate who has represented Victoria in the House of Commons since 1937.

Capt. Proudfoot is chief air raid warden for the Victoria civil defence system and principal of Malvern House School here.

Also supporting Mr. Mayhew tonight will be Lester Patrick, vice-president of Madison Square Garden, New York City, who is scheduled to give a radio address over CJVI at 10.15. One of the best known men in Victoria sport circles, Mr. Patrick will speak on "How Are You Going to Vote?"

Wednesday morning at 10.45 Mrs. A. J. Cox will speak over CJVI on "National Physical Fitness."

Keynoting the Progressive Conservative campaign this week is the address tonight at 8 at the parish hall of Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, Esquimalt, of Brig.-Gen. J. A. Clark, C.M.G., D.S.O., K.C.

The C.C.F. have a house meeting at 1909 Monteth Street tonight at 7.30.

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Weather Forecast

Victoria and Vicinity—Wednesday: Fair with light to moderate winds.  
Monday's Temperatures — Min. 46; Max. 62. Sunshine 8 hrs. 6 mins. Temp. noon Tuesday, 56.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

# Japs Send Balloons Over Coast

## Churchill Makes British Election Sure This Summer

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill today virtually assured a summer general election for Britain in a letter to Clement Attlee rejecting the Labor Party's suggestion that the balloting be delayed until fall.

The Prime Minister, faced by the Labor Party's decision to withdraw from his coalition government, was expected today to ask the King to dissolve Parliament and thereby bring about Britain's first general election in 10 years.

Political circles predict Parliament would be given about three weeks to wind up its affairs and that the election would be fixed for July 5—provided Mr. Churchill acts by Thursday. If he delays until May 30, the alternate date for the election probably will be July 11.

**Big 3 Meeting May Be Delayed**  
The developments brought from the London press—which has been urging an early Big Three conference to settle the Polish issue and other European problems—the assertion that such a meeting now is out of the question until late July or August.

While Mr. Churchill would name an interim government pending the election, British editorial writers expressed belief it would not carry the full weight of authority necessary at an international conference.

Termination of the Coalition government—which was formed in the dark days of 1940, when the Germans were rolling the British Army back toward Dunkerque—became a certainty Monday when 1,100 delegates to the Labor Party convention at Blackpool refused to sanction further labor participation.

Labor Party leaders previously had demanded a general election next fall and had rejected Mr. Churchill's proposal for a "yes-or-no" referendum on whether the life of the present Parliament should be prolonged.

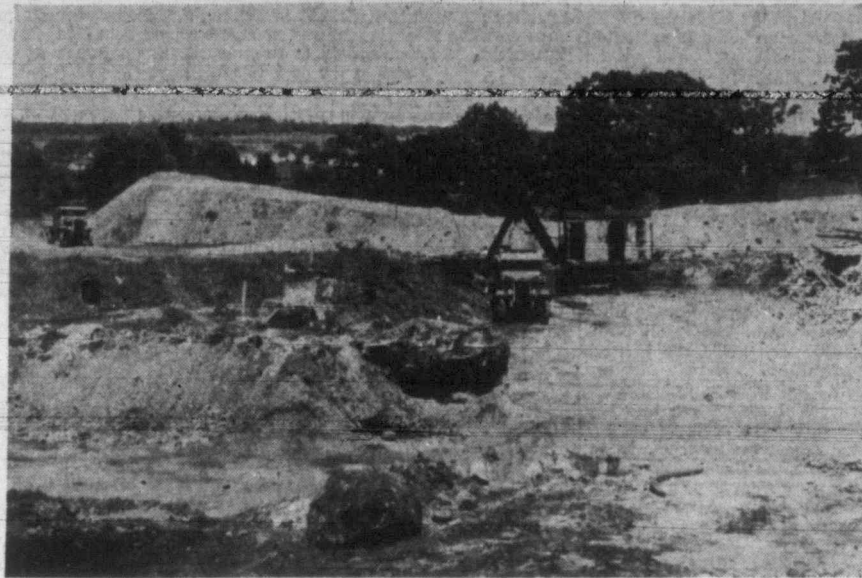
### Ministers to Quit Cabinet for Campaign

The decision promised a prompt withdrawal of Labor ministers from the Churchill government to prepare for the expected election campaign. Liberal members also are expected to withdraw, and Mr. Churchill probably will have to appoint 30 ministers and junior ministers to complete his interim government.

The British Labor Party adopted a 12-point program aimed at establishment of "a Socialist Commonwealth of Great Britain."

The 1,100 delegates meeting at Blackpool in the party's national convention gave swift approval to the platform, which virtually

## Excavation for \$1,000,000 Veterans' Hospital



A gas shovel and trucks of the Northern Construction Co. dig out earth for the foundation of the Veterans' Hospital at the Royal Jubilee Hospital grounds. Workmen expect to begin pouring cement for foundation footings later this week. Construction has been slowed slightly by changes in the specifications made by Ottawa after award of the contract for nearly \$1,000,000.

## Ontario Officer, N.C.O. Win V.C.'s Sergeant Loses Life In Brave Action

OTTAWA (CP)—The Victoria Cross has been awarded to Maj. Frederick Albert Tilston, 39, of Windsor, Ont., and to Sgt. Aubrey Cosens, 24, of Latchford, Ont., who lost his life—both in German and Netherlands actions this spring.

The awards—ninth and 10th V.C.'s to Canadians in this war—were announced today by Defence Minister McNaughton. In the first Great War 60 Canadians won V.C.'s.

Maj. Tilston, Essex Scottish Regiment company commander and peacetime pharmacist, lost his legs shortly after a gallant action in the Hochwald Forest of Germany March 1, in which he was wounded three times and which led to his award.

Sgt. Cosens, Queen's Own Rifles of Canada platoon commander and peacetime northern Ontario railwayman, was killed by a sniper's bullet during the action in which he won his V.C.

### Bullet Removed From His Heart

Maj. Tilston, who had survived the removal of a rifle bullet from his heart at an English training ground in 1942 and a wound when his jeep struck a mine near Falaise, France, last October, won the Empire's highest award for continuing to lead his company through devastating fire after being thrice wounded.

His direction of his company, which eventually was reduced to 26 men, a quarter of its original strength, made possible the early breaching of the Hochwald Forest defence line, last German bastion west of the Rhine.

Disregarding his severe wounds, Maj. Tilston led the fighting personally and refused to be evacuated until his objective had been taken and consolidated. Part of his citation reads:

"... on his last trip (to bring up supplies) he was wounded for a third time, this time in the leg. He was found in a shell crater beside the road. Although very seriously wounded and barely conscious, he would not submit to medical attention until he had given complete instructions as to the defence plan, had emphasized the absolute necessity of holding the position and had ordered his one remaining officer to take over."

Sgt. Cosens, second Canadian below commissioned rank to win the V.C. in this war, singlehandedly killed 20 Germans and rounded up 20 prisoners before the sniper shot him through the head.

Sgt. Cosens had taken over the platoon when his officer was killed, and with four remaining men overcame fanatical resistance of an enemy strong-point, making possible the early capture by his regiment of the village of Mooshof. Success of the action



MAJ. F. A. TILSTON, V.C., Windsor, Ont. LATE SGT. A. COSENS, V.C., Latchford, Ont.

was vital to the future operations of the brigade. He had taken over enemy strong-points by cool dashes and shooting from the hip.

The citation continues:

"... single-handed he then entered the second and third buildings and personally killed or captured all the occupants, although under intense machine gun and small arms fire. Just after the successful reduction of these important enemy strong-points, Sgt. Cosens was shot through the head by an enemy sniper and died almost instantly."

### Sisters Pleased Brother Honored

When word of the award reached Maj. Tilston's stenographer sisters—Josephine and Mary—in Toronto they were overjoyed, especially when they heard he would be out of hospital and home in a couple of months.

They couldn't picture their six-foot three-inch, 190-pound brother, red-headed and freckled, as a desperate fighter. "I still can't imagine Fred getting mad at anyone, let alone killing people," said Josephine. "He was always so good natured and smiling."

They had read newspaper accounts of the Hochwald Forest action which mentioned their brother. "We sent some of the clippings from the papers to Fred," said Mary, "but he wrote us that he didn't recognize the action from the accounts. He intimated that he had been played up too much and that he had done no more than any of the others."

At Latchford, Charles E. Cosens, a railwayman himself and a veteran of the First Great War, expressed a quiet pride in the posthumous award to his son. "I knew he would be a good soldier," said Mr. Cosens, "but it is hard for me to realize he has

## Spotters Keep Constant Watch For Odd Weapon

Giant paper balloons, 33 feet in diameter, have been landing for the last few months at various points in western Canada, Pacific Command army officials revealed today. The balloons are unmanned and from their markings it has been established they are of Japanese origin, officials said. It is believed by some persons that they have been released from different spots in Japan, that they have traveled east with the revolution of the earth thousands of feet above its surface, and at approximately 80 miles an hour.

Spotters of the Pacific Coast Militia Rangers are constantly on the lookout through British Columbia for any of the strange objects. R.C.A.F. pilots in western Canada have taken planes up numerous times to bring down one of the strange balloons. They have been instructed to bring the objects down intact if possible in order that they may be studied to learn what the Japanese are planning to do with them.

Many conjectures have been made as to the plans of the Japanese for these balloons. Some said they believed the Japanese could send over in this manner anti-personnel bombs or even sheets of phosphorus to set fire to crops and forests.

Examination of one of the balloons has led to the belief they are being manufactured in great numbers, and at a low cost. It has been estimated 500 such balloons would cost approximately the same price as a cheap light airplane.

### Unexploded Bombs At Unknown Spots

OTTAWA (CP)—Defence headquarters announced this afternoon that unmanned Japanese balloons have dropped explosives in isolated localities "on the western part of the North American mainland" and unexploded bombs may still be lying in isolated spots.

For security reasons exact location of where the balloons landed cannot be disclosed, but it was understood there have been no casualties in Canada and little property damage.

It was understood the balloons drifted at approximately 100 miles an hour, but it was not known from where they were launched or at what spot they crossed the western coast. It was possible the balloons which

came down in Canada were aimed at the heavily-settled central United States, but were carried northward by prevailing winds.

An Indian tending a trapline was believed to be one of the first persons to see one of the bombs explode. He saw an explosion, jumped with his dog-team and traveled for two days and two nights to reach the spot.

### Safety Campaign Being Undertaken

WASHINGTON (AP)—Japanese long-range balloons have made sporadic attacks on the western part of North America during the last several months, the U.S. army and navy reported this afternoon. Some of the unmanned balloons are known to have landed or dropped explosives in isolated localities, but there has been no damage to property, the joint statement said.

This was the first time that the public had been told of the balloon attacks, although they were known to many newspapermen, and others.

The joint statement said the disclosure was being made so a public safety campaign could be undertaken to prevent possible damage or injury from the balloons.

There is always a possibility, the statement said, that unexploded bombs may be found in isolated spots, concealed in wooded areas, or buried beneath melting snow.

With the approach of warm weather and the end of the school season, the statement added, "it is desirable that people, and especially children living west of the Mississippi River, be warned of this possible hazard, and cautioned under no circumstances to touch or approach any unfamiliar object."

### No Military Threat Seen in Balloons

The army and navy said they wanted to reassure the nation that the balloon attacks are so scattered and aimless that they do not constitute a military threat.

"They should not be viewed with alarm," the statement said. "Due to the large areas of the United States and the variable nature of the winds, the possibility of a hit in any specific area is remote."

"The chances that any given place would be hit by these attacks is only one in many millions."

The armed services said they took the position that the possibility of saving even one life through precautionary measures would more than offset any military gain the enemy might take from the mere knowledge that some of the balloons had arrived on this side of the Pacific.

### Information Kept From Enemy Forces

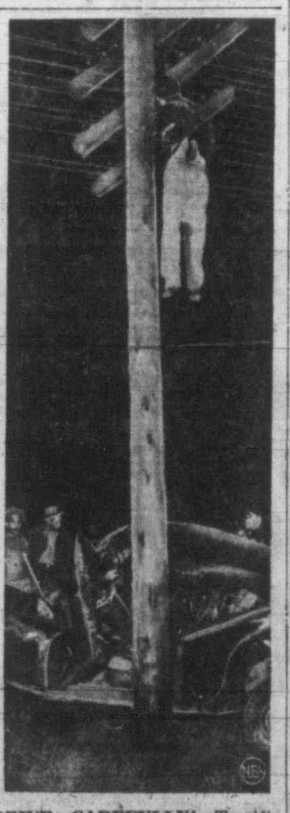
The enemy would like to know the exact time the balloons arrived, the locality and their effect, the statement said, adding: "Such information would permit him to evaluate the results of his fantastic effort and possibly correct his methods."

The statement said his specific information will be kept from the enemy, if possible.

The balloons, which carry a few small bombs, were described as being of grey, white or greenish-blue paper and about 33 feet in diameter. The main purpose of the bombs, it was said, is believed to be to set brush and forest fires. The balloons are unmanned and cannot be controlled by the enemy.



**JETS THE LUFTWAFFE DID NOT GET**—Deep in a salt mine at Tarhun, near Schonebeck on the Elbe River in Germany, Allied troops discovered in this room 60 feet long, 30 feet wide and 35 feet high, a Nazi jet plane plant. Partly completed fuselages for JU-162 planes were turned out here at the rate of six a day, by 2,400 slave laborers.



**DRIVE CAREFULLY**—Terrific force with which car in photo above crashed into telephone pole is indicated by the body hanging from wires over it. Capt. Desmond E. Carrig of Buffalo, N.Y., lost control, smashed through fence into pole and was catapulted through steel roof of the car.

## Ten-Year Sentence For Manslaughter

Johnson Johnny James, 33-year-old Indian convicted of manslaughter in connection with the death of Pte. Clarence Dick at the West Saanich Indian Reserve last February, was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment by Mr. Justice A. M. Harper at the close of the spring assizes today.

C. F. Davie, K.C., of Duncan, defence counsel, appealed for mitigation of sentence on the grounds that James' solicitation to Mrs. Ida Sam was not to a married woman as she was not wedded to the man she was living with; that there was no malice in the accused at the time of the fight, and that James had a wife and two children, and was so far as he knew—a good husband.

Horace Victor Evans, 24, whom the jury found guilty May 14 of breaking and entering Tergeson Bros., 111 Balmhard Street, and stealing eight new automobile tires valued at \$136, was sentenced to nine months in prison to begin from April 10 last.

Evans acted as his own counsel. J. B. Clearhue, K.C., was crown counsel.

### Government Approves Victoria Arena Issue

Government's approval by order-in-council of the city of Victoria issuance and sales of debentures amounting to \$150,000 for the purpose of constructing a civic arena, was received at the city clerk's office today.



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### Wins Bottle Back

VANCOUVER (CP)—Jack Anderson of Vancouver, after a verbal battle with the court Monday persuaded Magistrate Mackenzie Matheson to let him have his unopened bottle of rye back after he had been fined \$2.50 for illegal drinking.

Mr. Anderson told the court he had taken the bottle of rye into the cafe, but he didn't open it. He just "checked it."

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## Joint School-Council Group Receives City's Approval

Brief discussion on a communication from the City Hall Employees' Association, in which dissatisfaction with the present personnel committee was voiced and approval of formation of a joint committee, representative of the City Council and School Board to approach the provincial government on course to be followed in advancing the program of new school building construction marked the regular City Council meeting Monday.

The City Hall Employees' Association letter was referred to the finance committee with aldermen feeling the matter should be investigated. Ald. F. A. Willis moved at the outset that the matter be referred to a special committee of two, but Ald. Harold M. Diggon felt a larger committee was warranted.

Approval for the joint City Council-School Board committee was given following the reading of a letter from T. L. Christie, secretary of the Board of School Trustees. Mayor George will appoint the city's representatives.

C. E. Joslyn, manager of the H.B.C. land department, wrote City Council asking to whom the first refusal to May 15, 1946, requested by council on the Uplands property belonging to the Hudson's Bay Company and situated east and west of Finnerty Road and north of Bay Road for an airport, should be made.

Forrest L. Shaw, city solicitor, informed council that the first refusal should be issued to one municipality. Once owned any municipality could contribute money to the property's development and maintenance, he said.

"T" or cross-road signs be placed on the south side of Brooke Street near the intersection with St. Charles Street and on the north side of Chandler near St. Charles was also approved.

Sale of lots totaling \$6,750 was approved. Recommendation of the personnel committee that W. J. Hooper, who has been employed with the garbage department for the past 32 years, be promoted to fill the position of garbage foreman was referred to the public works committee with a request that the committee report to council's next meeting.

A letter from Harold Parfitt on the site of the proposed arena was referred to the arena committee. Ald. John A. Worthington moved that if and when Field Marshal Sir Bernard Montgomery should visit Canada, Victoria should invite him to visit the city. The motion carried.

Complaints of a "dangerous corner" at Simcoe and Government, raised by Ald. Worthington, were referred to the public works committee.

A letter from S. W. Randall of the Colwood Park Association with regard to need for additional stabling was referred to the city's representative. The usual grant of \$100 was made the Victoria Horticultural Society. Request from the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association that two lots they have acquired on Fisgard Street to tax free was referred to the finance committee.

## Airman Back From Overseas



After six years with the R.A.F. in Britain, Sgt. Roy Burgess came home on leave Monday, and was greeted by his cousin, Miss Peggy Butterfield. His mother, Mrs. G. Burgess, 1326 Stanley Avenue, was also at the dock to greet him.

beaches near Beacon Hill Park was referred to the parks committee.

A communication from the Electrical Workers' Union drawing attention of council to the fact that the wiring inspection department was "in dire need of a larger staff in order to cope with the tremendous amount of work involved" was referred to the wiring inspector. Council approved a motion of Ald. Williams that a proclamation be issued calling upon citizens to observe Sunday, June 3, as "Shut-In Day." The Henry George Club of Victoria expressed approval of its members of the action of the council in increasing the mill rate to provide "the revenue needed to adequately care for the interests of the city."

### Airman Reported Killed

P.O. Thomas Corson Jenkins, missing in action overseas since July 5 last year, is now reported killed as of that date, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jenkins, 788

Dominion Road. He was an air gunner.

Tommy enlisted with the R.C.A.F. in October, 1942, and received his wing a year later at Trenton, Ont. Born in Victoria 23 years ago, he received his education at Victoria West and Victoria High Schools and worked with his father at David Spencer's before enlistment.

## Esquimalt Court

Andrew Thomas and John J. Henderson, remanded to Esquimalt police court Monday from a special sitting Saturday on a charge of breaking and entering the Halfway House with intent to steal, were remanded one week without plea. Magistrate H. C. Hall set bail at \$2,000 each.

A motorist was fined \$2.50 for obstructing a sidewalk, four were fined \$5 each for failing to observe a stop sign, four \$10 each for passing a standing street car, one \$10 for speeding in a school zone, and one \$15 for exceeding the 30 miles per hour speed limit.

## Auxiliary Firemen To Get Equal Pay

Esquimalt council Monday evening approved four recommendations of its fire and lights committee, including a recommendation that Civil Defence auxiliary firemen be paid the same rates as the regular firemen, while on duty.

Other recommendations were that all C.D. auxiliary fire equipment be kept at the municipal hall; that auxiliary C.D. firemen be used with regular firemen; and that the council's thanks be extended to the auxiliaries for their services.

Following a further recommendation, it was decided to get further information from C.D. officials in Vancouver regarding insurance covering C.D. auxiliaries while fire-fighting. The report was submitted by J. A. Ellis, chairman of the fire and lights committee.

Three offers for lots in the municipality were accepted and two other offers were tabled pending further information. Permission was given to two women's auxiliaries to hold tag days. They were the W.A. to the Air Services for a tag day to be held on June 30, and the W.A. to the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry to hold a tag day on July 28.

The council voted paid \$12,000 in accounts. The council decided on pulling down of a number of small trees in Memorial Park because they were harboring pests during the summer, including wasps.

G. H. Pullen, municipal clerk, was appointed the Esquimalt representative to the forthcoming Municipal Officers' Association conference to be held in the Parliament Buildings.

Two offers, each \$300, for obsolete machinery in the municipal yard were received and filed by the council, which remarked the offers were too small.

The council accepted an invitation from the Victoria branch of the National Council of Education to attend its Youth Rally service at St. John's Church Sunday.

## U.S. to Compete For Tourist Trade, Mayor Warns



J. E. Neely was reappointed chairman of the Tourist Trade Group, and William J. Clark vice-chairman, at the annual meeting, Monday, at Spencer's.

Need for a harbor clean-up was stressed by Mayor Percy George, who made suggestions for improving Victoria from a tourist standpoint. He said the present appearance of the harbor gives a poor idea of the city, and asked the Tourist Trade Group to co-operate with the city in doing away with bathhouses and squatters' shacks.

He noted that city streets could be kept cleaner than at present, and advocated enforcement of the by-law which forbids storekeepers to sweep rubbish from their premises across the sidewalk and into the gutter.

Mayor George pointed out that a list of tourist attractions, with directions and time needed to see them should be placed in hotels. Other suggestions included wading pools, especially one at Ross Bay, and new walks along Beacon Hill shore.

### KEEP TOURISTS HERE

"The day is not far away," he said, "when the Tourist Trade Group must find ways of making people stay longer in the city. After the war the United States will stress the attractions to be found south of the border. To counteract this we must do everything possible to keep tourists here for longer periods."

Ald. Harold Diggon reported that his committee had investigated possibilities of greeting tourists at the dock with music, and had found that a Highland piper would prove most effective. Mr. Diggon handed over a cheque for \$35.85, remainder of a fund formerly used for the upkeep of the gardens at the old Pandey house on Belleville Street.

He said the group should have a fund of \$250 to finance the musical greeting.

V. Cory said that vacant lots would be a blaze of color by this time next year if present plans to plant wildflower seeds were carried out. He asked for suggestions as to the type of wildflowers most suitable.

Warren Martin reporting on the Girls' Drill Team said that 47 engagements had been filled during the year. Members had traveled 813 miles, and had appeared before 32,715 persons. Since inception of the team, 329 engagements had been filled.

### RESORT SURVEY

Outlining work of his committee which has been assisting the provincial government in a survey of island resorts, C. Parrott said that questionnaires had been sent to all tourist hotels and camps. They had been asked to list facilities for tourists, and to far replies have been received from 50 per cent. Mr. Parrott noted that his committee have also been working with up-land boards of trade to find out what areas should have increased development.

"Tourist trade," said Mr. Neely, "is the greatest asset Victoria will ever have."

He said that during the last year his group had recommended that the Chamber of Commerce endorse the idea of an international drama festival in the city. Other recommendations had included continuance of the hanging flower baskets; clean-up of vacant lots near Thunderbird Park; completion of the Saanich marine highway, and relighting of store windows banned by the Department of National Defence. Mr. Neely noted that the Tourist Trade Group had assisted the Saanich Emergency Farm Labor Commission, and had supported Strawberry Festival Week.

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## Discount of 75% On Veterans' Lots

A recommendation from the Lands and Zoning Committee that a special discount of 75 per cent off the assessed value of any city-owned vacant residential lots be granted to members of His Majesty's forces who have volunteered for general service, or who have served overseas during the present war, or in the deep-sea merchant marine, was approved by the City Council at its meeting Monday.

"On the average, residential lots last year were sold for 37 1/2 per cent of their assessed value and this year they are selling at 50 per cent of the assessed value and over," Alderman Harold M. Diggon, acting chairman of the committee, told the council as he spoke on the various clauses in the recommendation.

Ald. Ed. Williams raised the question of lands, which, he said, were assessed too highly, and for which the city could not hope to get 50 per cent of the assessed value. Ald. Diggon countered that serviced lots were a good bargain today at 50 per cent of their assessed value.

According to the recommendation adopted, the special discount will be applicable to only one homestead per person, and applicants must have been prior to enlistment, bona-fide residents of Vancouver Island, or the Gulf Islands. The benefits included in the recommendation may be assigned to other qualified personnel, subject to the approval of the City Council.

The special conditions shall remain in force for a period terminating three years after the conclusion of hostilities in which Canadian forces are engaged.

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<b>DE LUXE TEA</b>	Nabob, 1-lb. pkg.	<b>79¢</b>
<b>MARMALADE</b>	Empress, G.L.O., 24 fl. oz. glass	<b>27¢</b>
<b>QUICK OATS</b>	Quaker, 8-oz. pkt.	<b>19¢</b>
<b>TOMATO JUICE</b>	Aylmer, fancy, 26-oz. tins	<b>2 for 19¢</b>
<b>BREAD</b>	Unwrapped, white or brown, 16-oz. loaf	<b>5¢</b>
<b>MAYONNAISE</b>	Kraft Miracle Whip or Kitchen Fresh, 8-oz. jar	<b>19¢</b>

<b>PEACHES</b>	Castle Crest, 20-oz. tins	<b>2 for 35¢</b>
<b>PEAS</b>	Aylmer, Choice, 16-oz. tins	<b>2 for 25¢</b>
<b>PASTRY FLOUR</b>	Wild Rose, 7-lb. bag	<b>31¢</b>
<b>MATCHES</b>	Bequel, pkt.	<b>22¢</b>
<b>MILK</b>	Cherub, 16-oz. tins	<b>2 for 19¢</b>
<b>FLOOR WAX</b>	Old English, 1-lb. tin	<b>48¢</b>
<b>COCOA</b>	Fry's, 8-oz. can	<b>19¢</b>
<b>PREPARED MUSTARD</b>	Libby's, 6-oz. jar	<b>8¢</b>
<b>TEA BAGS</b>	Canterbury, 30c. pkg.	<b>28¢</b>
<b>AIRWAY COFFEE</b>	1-lb. bag	<b>29¢</b>
<b>CREAM SPREADS</b>	Kraft, assorted, 4-oz. pkg.	<b>15¢</b>

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## Election in Ulster

BELFAST (CP)—Prime Minister Sir Basil Brooke of Northern Ireland announced today that a general election would be held June 14 after nominations June 4. The Ulster Parliament will be dissolved Friday.

Open forum. All federal candidates. Chamber of Commerce Hall, May 25, 8 p.m. Sponsored by Local 1-118 I.W.A.

## Premier King Tells Prairie People Of Measures to Benefit Farmers

SHELLBROOK, Sask. (CP)—Prime Minister King today set out on a motor tour of the rural section of the eastern part of his constituency of Prince Albert as the last phase of his campaign for re-election as member of Parliament.

Following a public meeting at Shellbrook Monday night, he motored today, visiting Paddockwood, Meath Park, Albertville, Henriberg, at all of which he met groups of people and delivered short addresses.

In the farming centre of Shellbrook Monday night Mr. King spoke of the steps his government has taken to ensure stable prices and continued markets for Canadian farmers. He said they represented performance as against promises and declined to make promises of advantage for the future.

In examining C.C.F. promises of a new order for the future, he asked the electors to consider whether the party could secure the support of the people of Canada for the policies they proposed.

Among the steps taken by the government to protect Canadian farmers in the postwar period stressed by Mr. King were:

1. A negotiation of long-term contract at fixed prices for the sale of bacon and other products to Britain.
2. Provision of floor price legislation under which, if a slump in prices occurs, the government would step in to buy farm products at a fair price.
3. Aid to the liberated countries for relief and rehabilitation which would provide markets until those countries themselves, after getting on their feet, were in a position to buy Canadian products.
4. Distribution of purchasing



power among the Canadian people through family allowances, other social legislation and educational and other grants to servicemen which would create a continuing domestic market for farm products.

As to family allowances and other measures for the distribution of purchasing power, Mr. King said they would facilitate transition from war to peace.

"We would have had the start of a depression on our hands today if we had not taken these steps," he said.

It was Mr. King's second speech in his own constituency. Monday afternoon Mr. King had visited the school and spoken to the children.

## UNITY IN WAR

Mr. King told his Monday night audience that taking Canada into war a united nation and preserving its unity during six years of war had been one of the great achievements of history.

"We have made mistakes," he said. "We have not pleased everybody. There are people who say we should have done some things differently."

"Canada's war effort has been equal if not superior to that of any other country, having regard to its size and what we were able to contribute," he said. This was the work of the people of Canada, but had the effort failed, the government would have been blamed.

Some people criticized old parties. No one criticized old churches, old army regiments.

"I deplore that a lot of first class people are today joining new parties," he said. These people should get into one of the old parties, the one best suited to their inclinations and seek to make the party think the way they thought.

Old age pensions now were paid to persons 70 years and over whose income was less than \$365 a year. The Progressive Conservative Party favored making the pensions payable at 65 and increasing the present average pension of \$20 a month by at least \$10. This would be done while arrangements were being made to inaugurate a contributory old age pension scheme, in which everyone would contribute something to guarantee himself an income in later years.

Mr. Bracken dealt with the pension question at a political rally in the largest centre in Neepawa constituency where he is standing in the federal election of June 11.

## FAMILY ALLOWANCES

He told the rally that family allowances also were a part of his social security plans. This brought from an unidentified man in the audience a question as to why the party favored family allowances, because in so doing it was admitting a man was not getting a fair wage to keep his children.

Mr. Bracken said that at present men were not paid according to the number of children they had and because of that fact there appeared to be some support for the principle of family allowance.

Wednesday Mr. Bracken will speak in Brandon.

## McNaughton Left Job On Principles

BROADVIEW, Sask. (CP)—Defence Minister McNaughton said at a public meeting Monday night he had left the Canadian Army command overseas because of a decision which would have run counter to the principles he held as the man responsible for the safety of the lives of men.

Gen. McNaughton was replying to a questioner. He did not amplify his statement.

He said he saw two dangerous forces ahead for Canada—one, the Socialism of the C.C.F., and the other the reactionaries of the Progressive Conservative Party. He said he was more anxious about the latter.

## New Trial Ordered

VANCOUVER (CP)—The B.C. Court of Appeal Monday ordered a new trial for Daniel Harrison, 29, former Edmonton soldier, charged with murder May 7, 1944, of Clifford Lennox of Vancouver. The trial will be held next month. Lennox was shot during an affray in an east-end rooming house.

## Allied Air Power Growing Factor In Bringing Defeat of Japan

Now that Germany is beaten the Allies full air power will be thrown against Japan. Distance and weather are two things that make the Pacific air war in some ways more difficult to wage than in Europe. In this article the Associated Press aviation editor, who has been touring Pacific bases, tells why this is so and how the Allies are meeting these difficulties.

By JAMES J. STREIBIG  
Associated Press Aviation Editor

WITH THE ARMED FORCES IN THE PACIFIC (AP)—Aviation will continue to dominate the Pacific war, and prospects appear to indicate early Allied air supremacy over Japan and the continent of Asia.

Here is a brief summary of the problems and prospects, methods and means for finishing the advance to Tokyo.

1. Distance and weather combine as the major problems in beating down Japanese strong holds.

Distance in the Pacific is difficult to appreciate without experiencing it. Never anywhere has so much of it been involved in a large-scale war. Weather complicates distance in the uncertainties and violence of typhoons, the heat and humidity which have created special problems in storage, preservation and maintenance.

## EXCELLENT TARGET

2. Japan is a juicy air target as B-29 attacks already have made clear.

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All these facts contribute to excellent prospects of beating the Japs down from the skies and easing the path for assault troops. Furthermore, Japan is greatly dependent upon imports

## Trades Congress Says Experience Needed at Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP)—An 800-word letter from the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada to its claimed membership of 250,000 today drew attention in the campaign for the June 11 federal election.

The letter, issued by the Congress' recently formed Political Action Committee in Ottawa Monday night and addressed to officers of trade councils, said that those with experience in administering the change from peace to war had gained valuable experience to meet the problems of transition back to peace.

Making no mention of political parties by name, the letter continued: "There is a danger that some new group, put into power at this time, would institute policies which would have no relation whatever to the pledges that an overwhelming number of people in this country have put their faith in."

The letter said the declaration was not intended to detract from the election of any person belonging to a Congress-affiliated union whose election would be an acquisition to the cause of labor.

The Canadian Congress of Labor, which also claims a membership of approximately 250,000, has endorsed the C.C.F. as the "political arm of labor," and Monday night its affiliate, the Ontario Federation of Labor, issued a statement in Toronto calling on its 150,000 members to support the C.C.F.

Most trade and Congress unions are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, while most Congress of Labor unions are linked with the Congress of Industrial Organization.

## Junior Chamber In Vote Campaign

"Vote, then talk" is the slogan of the Junior Chamber of Commerce vote campaign in connection with the federal election, June 11. Posters, newspapers, radio programs and direct telephone contacts will be used to urge citizens to use their vote.

Members of the committee are C. J. Harrington, vice-president; Dr. S. R. Richardson, Norman Parkins and Percy Frampton. Committee members at a meeting Monday evening pointed out

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that in former federal elections 10,000 Victorians have failed to register their votes.

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# HE CALLED IT A 'BRIBE'

BACK IN KENORA LAST SATURDAY, Mr. John Bracken, leader of the Progressive Conservative Party, is reported to have said: "I favored family allowances and approved the stand taken by our members in the House of Commons when they, with one exception, voted for it." The opposition chief also denied he had previously declared that if he were elected to the formation of the next government at Ottawa he would remove this legislation from the statute books of Canada. This is reported to be Mr. Bracken's reply to a charge to this effect, alleged to have been made recently by Hon. Paul Martin, Secretary of State in the administration of Mr. Mackenzie King.

Regardless of what the Progressive Conservative Party leader now says about family allowances, the record shows that Mr. Bracken called the legislation a "political bribe" early last July, although he knew the Speech from the Throne on Jan. 27, 1944, had included the following:

"The family and the home are the foundation of national life. To aid in ensuring a minimum of well-being to the children of the nation, and to help gain for them a closer approach to equality of opportunity in the battle of life, you will be asked to approve a measure making provision for family allowances."

Nor was this all; almost immediately after their leader had defined his idea of the measure then before Parliament in committee stage, four prominent Conservative members announced on the floor of the House of Commons their categorical intention of voting for the bill. These were Mr. Howard Green of Vancouver, Mr. John Diefenbaker of Lake Centre, Mr. A. H. Bence of Saskatoon City, and Lt.-Col. J. A. Ross of Souris. Perhaps the Vancouver member crystallized the attitude of his colleagues when he said:

"I intend to support this measure. I do so in the hope that it will benefit Canadian children and Canadian parents, thereby benefiting the Canadian nation as a whole."

It is particularly important to note again at this stage that only a few days before those four members declared their intentions, Mr. Bracken had called the measure a "political bribe," and nothing he says will alter the record. The inference drawn at the time, of course, was that the Conservative leader had taken his instructions from Premier Drew—whose antipathy to the bill and the implications he read into its provisions need no recall. And even the Conservative Vancouver Daily Province told us that what it called "The Children's Charter" marked "a distinct advance in social thinking in Canada," adding that "if the bill works out in practice in accordance with the desires of the men who fathered it and voted for it in the House, it will prove a boon to families of low income in Canada and should not prove too great a burden for the nation to bear."

The comments of which Conservative Howard Green unburdened himself during the debate on second reading, of course, were shared by the great majority of the Canadian people. No silly suggestion there that the bill was a "political bribe" for election purposes. What the electors should now demand Mr. Bracken to explain, however, is why, if he approved the family allowances legislation in the summer of last year, he has done nothing in the meantime to stop the flow of paid propaganda to perpetuate his original description of it.

## THIS IS IT!

NAVY MINISTER DOUGLAS ABBOTT'S definite announcement of the size and nature of the Canadian Navy's Pacific force will put an end to much speculation and random talk over the Dominion's plans for participation in the sea war against the Japanese. It is to be hoped it will also serve to restrain those whose careless political utterances have reflected credit neither on the men of the silent service nor on those vote-seekers who have tried to manufacture campaign material from them. The minister's anticipation that "the number of volunteers will be well in excess of requirements" is the answer, in itself, to foolish suggestions of "Zombism" in that department.

The statement came at an opportune time—while Mr. Truman was telling the United States Congress that forces of that nation were preparing to strike the Japanese with "overwhelming" power. The President's words indicated the imminence of the hour when the land of the rising sun will feel the full brunt of the United Nations' concentrated attack. Psychologically, Mr. Truman's announcement must have added immeasurably to the mental discomfort of the Japanese who already know, through attacks on the home islands, what is in store for them.

To Canadians willing to survey the situation without distortion, it should be apparent that events in the Pacific are taking form from plans that have been worked out with care and foresight by men thoroughly competent to do the job. Mr. Abbott indicates quite clearly how this country's forces will be fitted into the operations along lines which have no relation to political expediences.

That is an important consideration for the home front. For the Japanese, this marshaling of forces means that, within a short time, they will learn the significance of that war-born Anglo-Saxon phrase—"This is it."

## REGIONAL PACTS

THE SHAPE OF THINGS TO COME grows clearer as the San Francisco Conference proceeds with its trail-making to the objective of peace and security. An important compromise between complete authority vested in the Security Council for taking immediate action in case of aggression may be reached by allowing for regional action by sovereign states within their joint area to settle disputes. The Latin-American states regard the Act of Chapultepec as their charter of security and consider disputes within their region need not be referred to the Security Council of the General Assembly unless the nations outside their sphere are involved.

The American states have a voting advantage at the conference when they are all in agreement and opposed to the European point of view, as the latter has not anything like a complete delegation, due to the disintegration created by the war. In consequence, there seems to be more emphasis in favor of regional blocs—strongly opposed in many quarters when first mentioned by Field Marshal Smuts—as a method of ensuring peace before even the Dumbarton Oaks proposals had been formulated. It is natural for the Pan-American bloc to regard the Act of Chapultepec as its special interest and to oppose as far as possible any weakening of that Act by the Great Powers. But its opposition is not pushed to its limit whenever the "Big Four" sponsoring states show they have made up their minds on assuming certain definite responsibilities for keeping the peace. The United States, being one of the "Big Four" as well as one of the signatories to the Act of Chapultepec, exercises a balancing influence between the anxiety of Latin America to remain free to act within its own region and yet to share in the advantages offered by complete world protection and economic co-operation.

As yet the Pan-American states are the only ones which can be regarded as being geographically regional, and even they have to take into consideration such important hemispheric defence problems as are presented by the West Indies. These cross-currents may seem to indicate vitally conflicting opinions; but in truth are only the democratic method of arriving at the same conclusion as proposed at Dumbarton Oaks.

## RUMOR AND INNUENDO?

ONE OF THE PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE Party's radio speakers last night complained of what he called a campaign of rumor and innuendo. To illustrate his point he attacked an editorial which appeared in this newspaper a little more than a month ago—a reference to Sir Henry Drayton's nomination which alluded to the opposition candidate as a 76-year-old. And the speaker evidently thought it was extremely unkind of the Times to suggest in its news columns the names of several young and promising followers of Mr. Bracken who might be supposed to be in the running for the honor of doing battle against Mr. Mayhew—only to be told in the editorial that they naturally did not relish a conflict with Victoria's member in the last Parliament.

Let there be no mistake about the complaint—a campaign of rumor and innuendo! Had last night's radio speaker been a working newspaperman instead of a lawyer he would have understood something about directness of expression and economy of words in our reference to Sir Henry Drayton, whose jovial bearing suggests he is not worrying about the sands in the hour glass. But it is neither rumor nor innuendo to say that Henry Lumley Drayton was born at Kingston, Ont., on April 27, 1869, or to infer thereby that he is now in his 77th year.

As for mentioning the name of four or five local disciples of the Progressive Conservative faith who might have aspirations for public office—one of the most natural desires of an active participant in discussions of national affairs—the retort of the oppositionist radio speaker was, to say the least, somewhat naive. Surely he does not expect us to believe that each one of those named began to rave and tear his hair as soon as he had read and absorbed the "innuendo" of that paragraph. The average intelligence, after all, would deem it a compliment to be suggested as political candidate calibre.

## MR. CHURCHILL'S FUTURE

WHATEVER THE FATE OF THE BRITISH Coalition Government at the forthcoming general election, there will be considerable speculation as to whether Prime Minister Churchill will head the British delegation to the eventual peace conference. Should the fortunes of the ballots relieve him of that responsibility, he will nevertheless face a future which should occupy him fully for some time. From his previous record, he is virtually obligated to write his story of the war, not only as a history of its actualities, but as a prophecy of the prospects to follow. For he is universally recognized to be without peer in that field of literature to which he has contributed so much lustre.

Now either of these tasks, to which he seems ready to devote himself with the clarity and vigor which has distinguished him as a statesman during these days of dreadful threat and splendid promise, are sufficient to appeal any ordinary man. But not Winston Churchill. Despite his 76 years, he is as blithe as a schoolboy about to start his summer holidays. He welcomes the prospect of being not only the creator of victory but the author of a history which long before it can be in form for printing, must be a subject of great desire on the part of the publishing world.

"The Price of Unconditional Surrender" might serve as a title both for the book and the terms of publication.

## Walter Lippmann

### ONLY THREE?

WHEN HE WAS asked about the proposed meeting with Marshal Stalin and the President, Mr. Churchill said: "It would be very odd if such a long, fierce war ended without any settlement even among the victors." But it is fair to say also that with France absent it would be very odd to attempt any settlement of the German question.

For France will still be on Germany's western frontier long after the Americans and the British withdraw their forces from the European continent. For this reason no lasting settlement with Germany can be made without France. And since Germany is in the centre of Europe, no lasting settlement in Europe can be made if there is not an agreed and workable Allied policy for Germany.

The plain fact is that the Big Three have tried but have thus far failed to achieve a workable European policy. There are two ways to account for this failure. One is to say that the Soviet Union is acting unilaterally in the region dominated by the Red Army. Another is to say that Britain and the United States have been hesitating and postponing political decisions in the region which is dominated by their armies. Thus the Soviet Union has made up its mind about what is to be the eastern frontier of Germany. We have not made up our minds about the western frontier. The Soviet Union has fixed its relations with the countries which lie between it and Germany. Britain and America have not fixed their relations with France, Belgium, the Netherlands, and Italy.

EASTERN EUROPE, whether we like it or not, is becoming politically organized and settled. Western Europe is disorganized and unsettled. Is it astonishing that the San Francisco Conference has been panicky about the westward extension of Soviet influence? Whether or not it is the purpose of the Kremlin to keep expanding to the west, it is certain that the disorganized west is at present a political vacuum into which Soviet influence will be sucked.

As long as there is no settlement in the west, it is impossible for Britain and America to exert effective influence in Eastern Europe, and it is dangerous to try. We have tried the policy of telling the Soviets what they must not do. The policy has not worked. It cannot work until we, that is to say the British and Americans, decide what we ourselves are going to do in the enormously important regions where we have the power and the responsibility.

How can we hope to meet the Russians in Berlin and lay down the lines of a German settlement when we have not made up our minds about the western frontier of Germany, the future of the Rhineland, the Saar, and the Ruhr, and how the terms of settlement in the west are to be enforced over a long period of time? We shall be dealing with Russians who have very clear and definite ideas about the eastern frontiers of Germany and how they are to be maintained.

NOW NO NEGOTIATION can be successful in which one partner knows what he wants, what he can do, and how he means to do it, while the other partners do not know what they want or how they mean to get what they may decide they want.

The confusion among the western nations is due to the lack of an agreement between Great Britain and France about the western frontiers of Germany. There is an added difficulty about Syria and Lebanon in the Near East. But this is secondary and could surely be adjusted if France and Britain could agree about Germany. If they could agree, there would certainly be a Franco-British pact for the purpose of policing Germany, and this would round out the series of pacts which the Soviet government has made with Britain and with the eastern European countries. Belgium and Netherlands would almost certainly take their place with Britain and France if such an agreement were reached.

Then, and then only, would we be in a position to collaborate on equal terms with the Soviets in Germany, and to settle critical European questions such as the status of Trieste, of the Kiel Canal, and the Dardanelles.

THE UNITED STATES has a vital interest in promoting a Franco-British agreement about Germany's western borderland. Without such an agreement, there is no way in which we can hope to achieve a lasting German settlement without having to stay in Germany forever and ever. We must be able to withdraw some time with the knowledge that Germany is as well guarded in the west as she will undoubtedly be in the east by the Soviet Union and its Allies. Only France, made strong again and given a compelling reason to remain strong, can be the sentinel of the west.

The inability of Britain and France to reach agreement is due no doubt to many causes. But underlying them all is the old French determination to keep Germany weak and the old British tendency to think that no power on the Continent must be too strong and none must be too weak. No task of American diplomacy is more important than to overcome this Franco-British disagreement by bringing about a settlement in regard to the Saar, the Rhineland and the Ruhr.

If we can do that, we shall do much to disarm the deep Soviet suspicion about British intentions in respect to Germany, and we shall be in a position of strength to talk with the Soviets about Germany and about all of Europe.

So live that people who know you best can read the flowery praise in your obituary without snickering.

Another of life's tragedies is that so many people can't be good without losing their sense of humor.

## Letters To The Editor

### 'OPEN HOUSE' AT COLWOOD

THE R.C.A.F. Convalescent Hospital at Colwood has been in operation for over a year and over 400 patients have received the benefit of psychotherapy and other forms of rehabilitation treatment at the hospital.

The results obtained have been extremely satisfactory and patients have been returned to their commands in first class physical condition.

In order that the public may see and learn something of what is being done at Colwood, an "open house" will be held on the afternoon of May 30 between the hours of 2:30 and 5 p.m., and an invitation is hereby extended to anyone, particularly the relatives and friends of Air Force personnel, to be present on that occasion.

Tea will be served by the Women's Auxiliary Service to the Air Force.

F. E. WINTERCROW,  
Chairman, Wartime Convalescent Homes, Vancouver Island Division.

### CANDIDATES' NAMES

In your issue of Wednesday, May 16, on page 13, you have featured an article headed "74 Nominated to Contest 16 B.C. Seats in Commons."

In view of the omissions of our candidates in this listing, we would appreciate your use of this letter.

We would draw to your attention that two members of the provincial executive of this party are running as Independent Labor candidates, namely, Tom McEwen in the Yukon and Nigel Morgan in Comox-Alberni.

Following is a complete list of our candidates: Kamloops, Henry Codd; Kootenay East, Harvey Murphy; Nanaimo, George Greenwell; New Westminster, Harold Griffin; Skeena, Bruce Mickleburgh; Vancouver-Burrard, Minerva Cooper; Vancouver-Centre, Leading Seaman James Thompson; Vancouver-East, Harold Pritchett; Vancouver-North, Lieut. Austin Delany; Victoria, Garry Culhane; Yale, Alan Clapp.

MINERVA COOPER,  
Provincial organizer, Labor-Progressive Party.

## Britain Boosts Marine Salvage

LONDON Britain will have, on the termination of hostilities, the finest and largest fleet of salvage ships and craft available anywhere, a great amount of special equipment and surplus skilled and experienced salvage personnel, according to Captain J. B. Poland, Chief Technical Officer of the Salvage Department of the British Admiralty.

The extent of the work of the Admiralty's salvage and rescue tug service is indicated by the fact that from September, 1939, to December, 1944, these organizations salvaged over 5,000,000 tons of merchant shipping, that is, a tonnage about equal to new building of merchant ships in the United Kingdom in the same period. The importance of this work is underlined by the losses of British merchant shipping up to the end of 1943 (11,500,000 gross tons compared with a pre-war total tonnage for the mercantile marine of 17,500,000).

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## Sir Henry Drayton Progressive Conservative Candidate VICTORIA

SIR HENRY LUMLEY DRAYTON, Progressive Conservative candidate for the Federal constituency of Victoria in the forthcoming general election, June 11, has resided in Victoria for the past two years. His home is at 2629 Lansdowne Road, Uplands.

As chairman of the Victoria Red Cross Society he made an outstanding success recently of the drive to raise funds. Faced with a quota of \$70,000, the committee under his capable leadership, realized a grand total of \$177,000.

Sir Henry was born in Kingston, Ontario, the son of Philip Henry Drayton, who came to Canada with the 16th Rifles of England, and Margaret S. (Governor) Drayton.

After being called to the Ontario bar and created K.C., he was appointed Assistant City Solicitor for Toronto, and later formed a partnership with Charles J. Holman, K.C.

He was appointed counsel to the Railway Committee of the Ontario Legislature by the chairman, the Hon. John Dryden, after which he was representative of the Ontario government for the purpose of adjudicating upon and paying on behalf of the Government, the claims of workmen of the different Clergue Companies operating at Sault Ste. Marie.

Appointment of Sir Henry Drayton as County Crown Attorney for the County of York on the recommendation of Hon. J. M. Gibson was followed a year later by an appointment as Counsel for the Corporation of the City of Toronto.

This was followed by a series of high posts among which he represented the Ontario government as a member of the Toronto Power Commission, and was Chief Commissioner of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada.

He accepted the portfolio as Minister of Finance of Ontario, and was appointed commissioner to deal with the question of control of ocean freight rates. In 1915 he was created Knight Bachelor.

As a member of the Railway Commission Inquiry, Sir Henry was associated with A. H.

Smith, president of the New York Central and W. M. Acworth, an eminent English railway economist to inquire into and report upon the entire transportation question in Canada with a view to putting the industry upon a better basis and providing a permanent policy.

During the last war he was appointed Power Controller under the War Measures Act. Sir Henry was in Great Britain on the outbreak of the last World War, and Sir George Perley, Acting Canadian High Commissioner, appointed him to take charge of getting women and children and men not of military age out of enemy and other European countries.

In this task he was highly successful. He was engaged in district war activities such as movement of foodstuffs and production for war purposes, both in Canada and the United States. A tribute to the fine work done by Sir Henry Drayton was expressed by the Right Hon. The Earl of Crawford, Director of Wheat and Flour Supplies, in a letter to Sir Robert Borden, thanking the Dominion for her co-operation.

He said, "Mr. James Stewart has explained to us how difficult the situation would have been without the hearty co-operation of Sir Henry Drayton, the Chief Railroad Commissioner, whose assistance surmounted difficulties which threatened to become insurmountable."

Following his appointment as Minister of Finance in 1919, he was elected Member for Kingston, two years later elected Member for West York and re-elected Member for West York in the General Election of 1925 with the biggest majority ever received in Canada, and again in the General Election of 1928. Prior to coming to British Columbia, Sir Henry held the position of chairman, Ontario Government Liquor Control Board.

He was educated in Canadian and English schools.

He married Edith Mary Cawthra, who died some years ago, the daughter of the late Joseph Cawthra, Toronto, and has three daughters. And in 1943 married Mrs. John Musgrave of Victoria.

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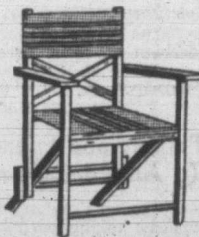
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Mrs. Allan Craig and her small son Billy are seen in the gardens of Mrs. Craig's parents, Capt. and Mrs. W. Q. Palmer, Sea View Road. Mrs. Craig recently came to Victoria with her husband, Lieut. Cmdr. Craig, R.C.N.V.R., who has been posted to the Royal Canadian Naval College at Royal Roads as supply officer.

## Personal Notes

Mr. Colvin Drake has returned to Victoria after visiting his father, Mr. A. W. Drake, Ganges.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gordon Smith, whose marriage took place in Vancouver, are honeymooning in Victoria.

Mrs. Dorothy Fanning has returned to Victoria after spending a week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Elliott, Ganges.


Lieut. P. E. Lowther has returned to Victoria en route to Wainwright, Alta., after spending leave at his home at Salt Spring Island.

Miss Margaret Jane Macintosh, daughter of Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Macgregor Macintosh, 333 Denison Road, has returned from the mainland after visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Rothwell, North Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Beech entertained at their home in honor of their daughter, Diane, who celebrated her 12th birthday anniversary. Games were played. Those present were Dolores Jansen, Pat Cartwright, Jean St. Denis, Daphne Aylwin, Judy Fanning, Dolores Lockwood and Terry Neuman.

Dorothy Elizabeth were the names given to the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Beech at a christening ceremony which took place at their home "Hiccroft Farm," Ganges, Rev. Dewar officiating. Godparents were Cpl. and Mrs. H. Newman. Tea was served by the hostess. Mrs. Beech, grandmother of the baby, presided at the urns. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. McDermott, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ireland, Rev. and Mrs. Dewar, Mrs. H. Newman and Diane Beech.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Springfield entertained more than 60 friends at a party given in honor of their son, Ormande, celebrating his 21st birthday. The party was held at their home, St. Mary's Lake, Salt Spring Island. Mrs. J. Mitchell, aunt of the guest of honor, looked after floral arrangements, and those assisting the hostess were Mrs. J. Mitchell, Miss June Mitchell and Miss Lucy Burkett. Mr. Eric Springfield proposed a toast to his nephew. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burkitt, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Eaton, Lieut. and Mrs. Percy Lowther, Mr. and Mrs. V. Case-Morris, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mout, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott, Maj. and Mrs. F. C. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Wilson; Messdames Jack Abbott, D. Crofton, J. Mitchell, F. Morris, F. Penrose, G. Reade, G. Shove, A. J. Smith, O. Leigh-Spencer, A. Wolfe-Miller; Misses Frena Aitkens, Denise, Dulcie and Sylvia Crofton, Lucy Burkett, Betty Kingsbury, Marguerite Holford, Vivien Layard, Valerie Lowther, June Mitchell, Jacqueline Pearse, Ema Pearson, Elsie Price, M. I. Scott, Brydie Wilson, Joan Wilson; Messrs John Crofton, Colvin Drake, Sgt. Basil Robinson and Eric Springfield.

## Penal Conference Panel

R. W. Craig, K.C., one of the members of the Royal Commission appointed in 1936 to review the penal system of Canada, will address the conference on penal reform to be held in the Empress Hotel.

Giving the evening address on "Crime and Punishment," Mr. Craig will present the facts and needs of the present situation of the alarming increase in crime in this country since the turn of the century. He has made two years' study of penal conditions in nine foreign countries and in particular the well-known Borstal institutions in England for young offenders.

A large number of organizations have signified intention to send delegates to the conference, which has been given the un-

qualified approval of Mrs. W. C. Woodward, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of B.C.

Ministers of all churches have been invited to participate in this effort, sponsored by the Council of Social Agencies, Canadian Association of Social Workers and John Howard Society. Invitations have also been extended to all leading organizations in Vancouver.

The agenda will include an address by Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell on "Prison Conditions in Canada as Revealed by the Royal Commission," D. M. Baillie speaking on "Modern Treatment of Alcoholics and Drug Addicts," H. G. Wyatt on "Treatment of First Offenders," and Mrs. Kenneth Barr on "Using Our Existing Facilities and Equipment."

## Club Calendar

Primrose Lodge, No. 32, Daughters of England, Friday, 8. Victoria social will follow meeting, convener, Mrs. E. Chappell.

Daughters of St. George, Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238, silver tea, Wednesday, 2 to 5, home of Mrs. L. Restell, 1030 Pembroke Street.

Rebekah Past Noble Grand's Club, Friday, home of Miss M. Winter, 1906 Leighton Road. Refreshment committee, Mesdames J. Allen, E. Baron, M. Hallett, L. Smoother and A. Barr.

## Naval College To Be Scene of Garden Fete

Arrangements have been made by the Belmont Unit of the Red Cross to hold the third annual garden party in the grounds of the Royal Canadian Naval College at Royal Roads, June 16.

Preliminary arrangements were made at a meeting held at the college when G. A. Turner, president of the Belmont Unit, presided. Those who attended the meeting were Capt. J. M. Grant, Lt.-Cmdr. David Cross, Lieut. C. L. Gerrie, W.R.C.N.S., Mrs. P. N. Welch, Mrs. B. W. Walker and W. E. Stevenson.

The naval band will be in attendance and there will be a physical training display, gun battery work and a Wren's handcraft display.

Visitors will be allowed to visit the quarter deck in the cadet block, and the class rooms will be open with a torpedo on display. Convenient bus service will be arranged. Members of the Belmont Unit will arrange contests and they will be assisted by representatives from Colwood, Happy Valley and Langford. Tea will be served under the convership of the Colwood Women's Institute.

## Red Cross Notes

**Acknowledge Receipts**—The honorary treasurer of the Victoria City and District Branch of the Red Cross acknowledges receipt of the following donations: Mrs. Nesta Horne, \$23; Esquimalt Red Cross unit, \$217; Sidney and North Saanich Unit, \$21; Gordon Head Red Cross Unit, \$21.86; Sooke unit, \$5; Oak Bay unit, \$2; Cloverdale unit, \$16; Mt. Tolmie unit, \$11.30; Empress Hotel war work group, \$35; View Royal unit, \$20.85; proceeds from musical recital, Mrs. Marjorie Hansen, \$20.66; Ready to Help Circle, King's Daughter, \$10; collection boxes, \$30.06; miscellaneous donations, \$32.50; Red Cross Workroom, \$9.75; Post a Penny Cards, \$18.50.

**Banishment**—A successful card party was held at the recreation hall when the sum of \$15.35 was realized. Receipts of a contest totaled \$60 and the sale of flowers realized \$2.35.

## Junior League Sponsor Little Theatre Play

A performance of the Little Theatre production "George and Margaret" will be sponsored by the Solarium Junior League, June 8, it was announced at a meeting of the League Monday evening. Miss Joan Willsher is convening and tickets may be obtained from members.

Miss Cora Wharton, president, announced the annual meeting will be held June 18 at the Empress Hotel, convened by Miss Peggy Wharton, assisted by Mrs. Wm. Ferguson. Plans were also discussed for the fall frolic to be held at the Crystal Garden in charge of Mrs. D. A. McRae.

Mrs. Noel Morgan reported receipts of \$6.918 up to date from the annual Shower of Dimes.

## P.T.A. News

**Brentwood**—Mrs. V. Raines conducted the meeting at which members of Ward 6 P.T.A. were visitors. Guest speaker was Mrs. W. W. McGill, preschool convener. B.C. Mrs. J. Biss read the resolutions of the P.T.A. convention held in Vancouver, and Mr. Abbey showed a film, "Through the Heart of the Rockies."

**Salt Spring Island**—First general meeting of the newly-formed P.T.A. on Salt Spring Island was held at Ganges Consolidated School with Mrs. D. K. Crofton in the chair. It was decided to hold a bridge and whist party in Mahon Hall, Ganges, June 15, and a dance Aug. 3. Convener for both affairs to be Mrs. Bishop Wilson. New furnishings for the health room at the school were donated. The following executive committee was elected: Mrs. W. L. Rogers, publicity secretary; Alan Cartwright, membership convener; Mrs. J. Reid and Mrs. J. Foubister, budget convener; Mrs. G. West, literature convener, and Donald Youlds, recreational convener.

## Parents and Friends To Attend Ceremonies

All parents and friends of the children taking part in the Empire Day service and celebrations at the Parliament Buildings Wednesday are invited to attend and see the program.

There will be patriotic songs and hymns by the children, directed by W. H. Muncy, and a ceremonial parade. Guides, Sea Cadets, flower pupils and I.O.D.E. standard bearers. Scouts and schoolchildren will take part in the ceremonies which begin at 10.

## Tea Proceeds Will Aid Dental Corps

Attractive aprons will be among the items offered for sale May 30 when the W.A. to the Canadian Dental Corps will hold a spring tea at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Johns, 2753 Somass Drive, from 3.30 till 5.30.

Pupils of the Wynne Shaw Dancing School will entertain and there will be a lucky dip in charge of Mrs. E. H. Griffith.

Mrs. J. Dimery Johnson is general convener and Mrs. H. R. Turner is convening tea arrangements. Proceeds of the affair will be used to send comforts to men of the Dental Corps still serving overseas.

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**Hold Dance**—The Beaver Point Badminton Club held a dance in aid of the funds for the Beaver Point Hall, South Salt Spring Island. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tester's orchestra played. Supper was served by the members of the club.

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## Visits Wounded Brother

By ROY "CAP" THORSEN  
 Brother Alex (W. A. Thorsen) was certainly one surprised soldier when I popped up beside his hospital bed in England. He was under the impression I was still in Italy, although his letter telling me of his wounding was rerouted to meet me in the Low Countries.

He still looked quite peaked. This from much loss of blood caused when machine-gun bullets ripped through his left arm between the elbow and the hand, fracturing both bones. But this was a month from the day he got the packet, and good food and good treatment had improved him to the extent where he was on the mending road.

One of the first things he told me about was that Queen Elizabeth "with those same fine blue eyes and smiling that smile which made her so liked during the Canadian Royal Visit" visited the hospital and talked to him.

Rubbing his chin as if he remembered the painful operation very well, Al said: "The nurse shaved me so I'd look half decent for the Queen's visit. . . . They coaxed me that if the Queen talked to me I was to say 'yes, Your Majesty' or 'no, Your Majesty,' depending on which was required. . . . Grinning from his memory of it, Al said that when Queen Elizabeth did talk to him 'I got a bit of that well-known 'mike fright'—but her visit seemed to cheer everybody up a great deal."

**WITH THE RATIONS**  
 We were curious to know how he had been wounded. He told me. . . . Brother Al is a cook in one of the companies in the Canadian Scottish Regiment. He was with a party taking grub up to the men in the lines west of the Rhine. . . . From a vehicle on the road they were looking for a guide to take them in to the company. In the duskiness of the evening the quartermaster spotted a soldier's shape just off the road. He jumped out of the truck to ask.

The man turned out to be a German. He opened up on the Q.M. and the Q.M. dashed back and told them to get the truck about quick and "we'll get the hell out of here."

The vehicle was almost around when Jerry opened up with a machine gun. He bagged both front tires and in the evacuation of the vehicle, brother Al got the burst in the arm. . . . He started to lose blood fast. The result was he soon passed out in the ditch he was in. . . . He came to, got his bearings and started walking. He passed out again, and then again, but the next time he came to and started hoofing it he bumped into one of the boys from the ration truck who was looking for him.

This chap started to help Al to a place where he could get medical aid and finally had to carry him in on his back. After preliminary attention he was flown to England. . . . The action of Syd Berry (don't know his home town) in looking for Al and carrying him back to aid is an illustration of the unselfishness of many front line soldiers—who come to the aid of comrades, no matter what the danger is to themselves.

The Blythings of London, who regard Al almost as one of their own, have paid him numerous visits, bearing parcels of goodies. . . . To a soldier who is far away from home, it is certainly a fine treat to have people like the Bees dropping in on you every few days.

Institute by Mrs. W. Peden, president. Mesdames G. Upward, J. Terry, R. Cull and F. Bridge were congratulated on their winning entries in the spring flower show. A social afternoon Friday will feature a decorated table contest. A large amount of war sewing was completed and Mrs. R. O'Hara, sewing convener, announced no more would be taken during the summer. Mrs. A. Richards, quilt convener, will continue work as usual on Tuesdays.

**Y.M.C.A. Honors Layman's Sunday**  
 Layman's Sunday was honored at Metropolitan United Church Sunday by the Y.M.C.A., which took charge of the morning service. A large representation of Y.M.C.A. directors and young men from the "Y" and Hi-Y Club, as well as the regular congregation, heard Frank Paulding, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A., speak on the topic, "Life Is Like Unto a Race."

Peter Spence, B.A., B.D., boys' work secretary, offered the prayer, and Alan Nicholson, president of the Beta Hi-Y Club, read the Scripture lesson. Mr. Paulding said the problems of peace still remain after the victory bells have rung, and they could not be settled by governments or groups, but only by individual effort and initiative.

Just as the athletes of old had to train hard to obtain only a laurel wreath, so the race of life demanded genuine effort and exertion in the three realms of body, mind and spirit.

Mr. Paulding referred to the Oxford Union's prewar resolution not to fight for King and country and its present resolve that "after this war we will be tough," from which, he said, one saw that youth was recognizing the impossibility of living an easy life and being successful as an individual.

**Koprino Brings Big Halibut Haul**  
 Largest single boatload of halibut to reach Victoria this season came in this morning aboard the Koprino, 60-ton packer of the B.C. Packers Ltd., Ogden Point. She had 90,000 pounds of iced fish aboard.

Also docked at B.C. Packers' this morning was the Moresby 2 with some 6,000 pounds, and the Annie Tuck with a load of sock eye.

The Koprino, skippered by Bill McMilland, drew her load from Blaine Myers camp, Bull Harbor near Cape Scott, and Goose Island Banks supplied Capt. A. Spring's Moresby 2 with her quota.

Captained by Joe Babcock, the Annie Tuck brought in her haul for Nitinat. Catches were bought by B.C. Packers and will be used for local consumption.

Our will to resist is the only thing we have left against the material superiority of our enemy until the new weapons are ready for the front.—The Scorpion, German newspaper distributed to troops.

## Eileen Brisbin Weds P.O. E. Gray

Rev. Donald Gordon performed the marriage ceremony Saturday evening in the Church of Our Lord, uniting Eileen Beatrice, only daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Brisbin, 639 Yates Street, and P.O. Ernest Wm. Gray, R.C.N. V.R., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Gray, Metehosin. P. H. Hughes played the organ and Mrs. F. Thomas sang "O Promise Me" during the signing of the register.

The bride was given away by her mother and wore a wedding gown of white sheer in colonial style featuring a richly embroidered bodice. A coronet of orange blossoms held her Brussels net veil of finger tip length and she carried a shower bouquet of deep red roses.

Miss Mary Limer, wearing a floor length gown of rose pink, and Miss Doris Fleck, frocked in white, acted as bridesmaids. Their headresses of flowers and veils were matching and they carried bouquets of pink carnations, gardenias and lilies.

CPO. Fred Hale, R.C.N.V.R., was groomsman and ushering were CPO's Bernie F. Batchelder and Ernest T. Hudson, both R.C.N.V.R. About 50 guests were received at a reception held at the Kit Kat, where the bride's mother was assisted in receiving by Mrs. E. Atkinson of Vancouver, sister of the groom.

After a honeymoon at Niagara

## Sailor Welcomed Home



F. B. Pemberton greeted his son and daughter-in-law, Lt. Cmdr. F. J. D. Pemberton, R.C.N.V.R., and Mrs. Pemberton on their arrival in Victoria, Monday, to spend two weeks, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Murray, 541 St. Charles Street. Following service in Halifax and at sea, Cmdr. Pemberton was appointed Canadian naval liaison officer, Staten Island, New York, which post he has held for the last two years.

Falls, P.O. and Mrs. Gray will reside at St. Hyacinthe, Que., where the groom is stationed. Going away the bride wore an apple green suit trimmed with red fox. Her accessories were brown.

Fossils are the petrified remains of plants or animals that lived at some past period of the earth's history.

## Dorothy Dix

**THRILL OF MOTHERHOOD WORTH SURRENDERING SINGLE-BLESSEDNESS**

Dear Miss Dix: I am engaged to a young man, but find that marriage is a most unattractive proposition to me, for I hold no illusions about it. I am a freedom-loving soul and I just hate the idea of staying home cooking when I would like to be out playing golf. I love dancing and fishing and tennis, but I see this all shot to pieces with the advent of the first baby. When a girl gets married she has to give up so much.

Do you know anything about marriage that would enhance it in my eyes and thus change my state of mind?

Answer: It is true that matrimony is no picnic, but, after all, it isn't as bad as it is painted. When we see the number of divorces and so many wives and husbands fighting together like the Kilkeny cats, it does seem that marriage is a failure and the surest way a man and woman can take to bring misery upon themselves, but just remember it is only the unhappy marriages we hear about.

Of course, getting married is the greatest gamble on earth, be-

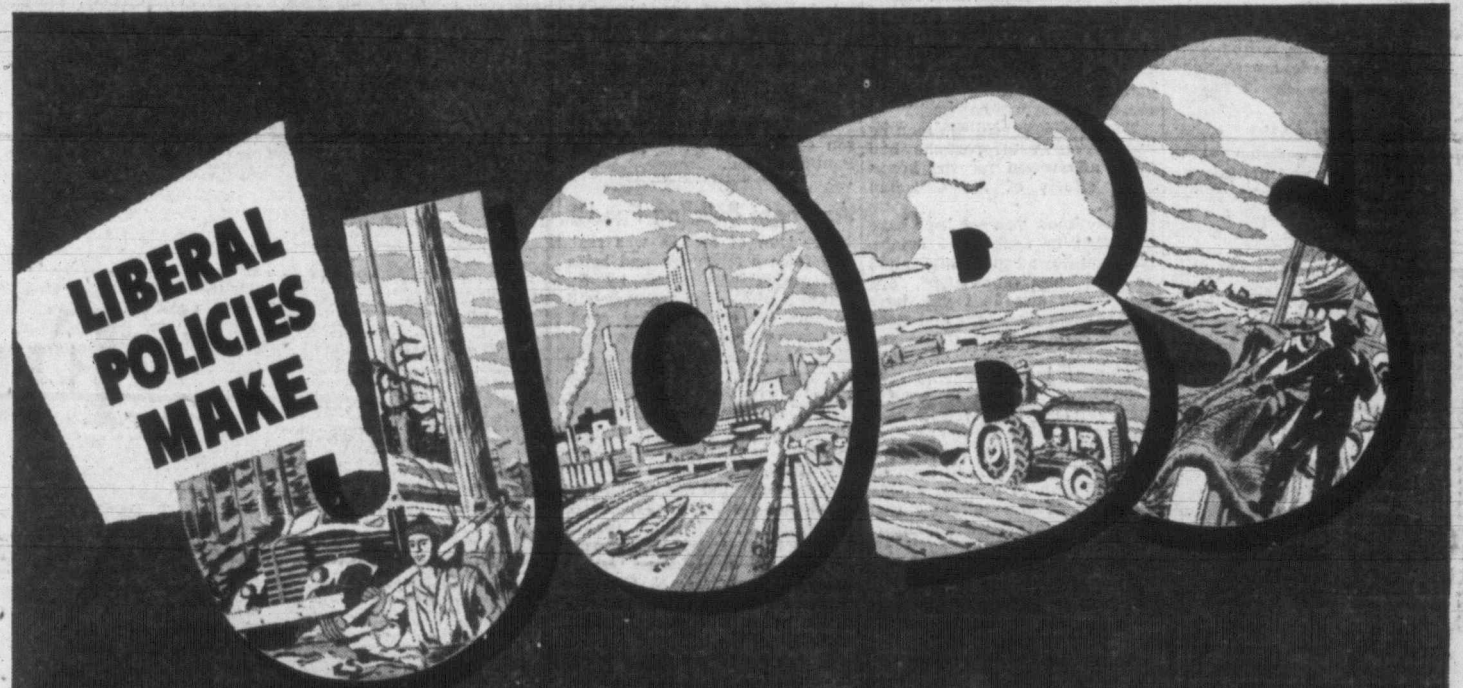
cause when you do it you stake everything you have in life on the outcome. But it is because when you do win out the reward is so great that men and women continue to plunge on in spite of the failures they see all about them.

For there is no disputing the fact that there are no other people so happy as those who are happily married. To love and to be loved is a necessity of the human heart, and lacking love we go hungering and thirsting for the bread of life on which to feed our souls. No love is so strong and enduring as this wedded love of a man and a woman who have found their mates, and who give each other a devotion that never falters, a companionship that never wearies.

As for your dreading marriage because you will have to give up your outdoor sports and dancing, that is an unfounded fear, as you will have to give up these things around and see how many married people are playing games and going places and doing things.

Furthermore, I will hazard the bet that after the first baby comes, you would rather have it in your arms and have it call you mother than be golf champion of the universe.

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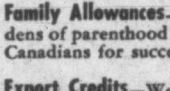


## The Liberal Working Plan for Full Post-War Employment . . .

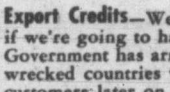


**For Veterans**—\$750,000,000 to get them started in good paying jobs in industry, on the land or in business for themselves as each of them chooses.

**Housing**—\$400,000,000 to finance the biggest building scheme this country has ever known.



**Family Allowances**—\$250,000,000 a year to lessen the burdens of parenthood and to equalize the opportunities of young Canadians for success and happiness.



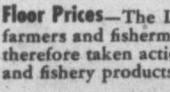
**Export Credits**—We've got to have exports if we're going to have jobs. Your Liberal Government has arranged to finance war-torn countries who will be our good customers later on.



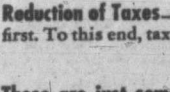
**Industrial Development Bank**—Your Liberal Government has set up machinery to help enterprising Canadians develop new business.



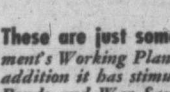
**Form Loans**—One man in every three in Canada works on the farm. To help them get better equipment, your Liberal Government has arranged that they can borrow the money they need for better working and living conditions.



**Floor Prices**—The Liberal Government's policy is that when farmers and fishermen prosper, so do other Canadians. It has therefore taken action to put a floor under the prices of farm and fishery products.



**Reduction of Taxes**—Your Liberal Government believes in jobs first. To this end, taxes will come down to free spending power.



**These are just some of many steps in your Liberal Government's Working Plan to ensure full employment after the war. In addition it has stimulated tremendous private savings in Victory Bonds and War Savings Certificates. It has put through Unemployment Insurance. It has set up a special Department of Reconstruction staffed by experts. In fact all its policies are directed to the same end—a "high and stable level of employment and income"—and each contributes to the success of the others. The Liberal Party offers you a complete and well co-ordinated working plan!**

## JOBS!

Jobs with bright futures for the young men and women coming out of the Armed Services with the best part of their lives before them! Jobs for all! Jobs with big prospects and good, reliable money that will keep its buying power! After all the hard work, sacrifice and self-discipline which has brought us through the war, the people of this country have earned a brighter future in a better, juster, grander Canada than we have ever known!

**LOOK** how much Canadians have accomplished, here on the home front, even without the energy and initiative of all the vigorous young people now in uniform, and their zest for daring! What is there Canada can't do with them back on the home team? Why, with their help, we Canadians are headed full speed for the greatest period in our history!

**THE** all-important question today is the civilian staff-work and leadership which we call "government." The Liberals have a working plan. It's big and bold! Parts of it are outlined for your judgment in the left-hand column. It has been designed with the aid of the keenest minds in every phase of industry, agriculture, labour and learning. The plan will work. In fact it is already bringing results. It will continue to do so! The Liberals can tell you this with confidence because they have had successful experience in operating nationwide plans.

**VOTE** for your Liberal candidate. Make sure the team which made this plan for full employment shall see it through—and win the peace!

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**BUILD A NEW SOCIAL ORDER  
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## Drayton Says People Will Have to Pay For Social Services

Canadians have a big job ahead of them and that is to restore unity to this country—so that there will be the same rule in Quebec as in B.C., Sir Henry Drayton, Progressive Conservative candidate in Victoria, Monday evening told a meeting of the Bracken Club at the Empress Hotel.

Citizens, he said, should ask themselves, these questions as they prepare to vote, "Have the affairs of the country been properly looked after? Has the war been properly pressed? Has there been fair administration or has there been a personal loyalty to one thing, politics?"

The Conservative Party, he said, stands for equality in Canada, for the right of no one province against the rest and for conscription.

Sir Henry said, "We will get a form of income tax return that can be understood by everybody—we want to do away with the injustices we have today. We must develop along lines that will enable this country to produce to the absolute limit, to increase the volume of our national revenue as much as we can, to cut down taxation as much as we can."

Mr. King, he said, is a grand talker, but has never been a doer, he is a man who has never taken a chance in his life and never will. John Bracken, on the other hand, is "a man who doesn't mind taking a chance—he is full of fighting."

### PEOPLE WILL PAY

Answering a question as to who is going to pay for increasing social services Sir Henry said: "You good people are all going to pay—you had better make up your minds to that—anyone who tells you anything else is merely misleading you. I wonder why you're called Bracken Club when you're not Bracken followers—I've an idea it means you're independent thinkers," he said, adding that because the club is non-political he would not make a political harangue.

Denis Hagar was in the chair and introduced Sir Henry.

## Oak Bay Trustees View School Plans

Plans of the proposed Oak Bay Junior High School were viewed Monday night at the monthly meeting of the Oak Bay School Board. Designed by F. Leonard James, the building will embrace 12 main classrooms, music room, auditorium seating some 350 persons and other subsidiary classrooms. Length will be 288 feet and will extend back in the form of a T, about 220 feet.

Exact site is yet undecided, and though it will be constructed adjacent to the high school, plans may be altered if the board deems such action necessary when they again view the grounds.

Miss Helen Crickmay, speech specialist, was interviewed briefly by the board, who took the stand that her services would be of considerable benefit to those children in Oak Bay elementary schools suffering from defective speech. No action will be taken until commencement of fall term.

Applications were considered for positions on the teaching staffs of both high and elementary schools and applicants thought suitable will be interviewed.

Salary voucher for May was given at \$10,081 and sundry accounts totaled \$1,272.

Open forum. All federal candidates. Chamber of Commerce Hall, May 25, 8 p.m. Sponsored by Local 1-18 I.W.A.

**HBC**

## Attend the B.C. TOY CLUB'S Third Annual DISPLAY

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## Should Speed Home Canadian Troops, Says Chambers

FULFORD HARBOR, Salt Spring Island—Lt. Col. Alan Chambers, D.S.O., just back from overseas, opening his campaign as Liberal candidate in Nanaimo riding for the June 11 federal election, told an audience here Monday evening that Canadian troops in Europe should be brought home the minute law and order have been restored in Germany.

"If our country is to have no say in the policy for the post-war government of Germany, then there is no justification in keeping a single Canadian serviceman in Europe, once law and order are restored in Germany," he said. "If the Big Three and France are to be responsible for the re-education of the German people and the administration of their affairs, there can be no possible reason for keeping Canadian forces overseas in Europe. As soon as the present chaos is cleaned up, which need not take any great length of time, all our men should be brought home as quickly as possible."

### HEAVY FIGHT AHEAD

Col. Chambers emphasized that the war is not yet over—that there is still a heavy fight ahead in the Pacific.

"We must be prepared to give to the Supreme Command in the Pacific everything we are asked for—manpower, equipment, supplies, as we gave to the Supreme Command in Europe what was asked of us," he said. "We cannot slacken our efforts until peace, complete and final, comes to the whole world."

The candidate said the men he had served with overseas had great admiration for the home-front efforts of the Canadian people.

"They know you out here have not been in danger of bombs, that you have had no starvation or atrocities, thank God, but they know also that you have all tightened your belts and stood behind them through trying and difficult years, years of worry and strain for us all," he said. "You have invested in government Victory Bonds; you have cheerfully taken rationing, not serious rationing, it is true, but still your liberties have been interfered with to a great extent, and I want you to know that your men overseas appreciate what you have done. After all, let us be realistic—we know that all the bravery and suffering of the men in Europe would have been in vain if the home-front had gone to pieces."

Tomorrow Col. Chambers will speak at Galliano and Mayne Islands, Wednesday at Saturna and Pender and Thursday at Brentwood.

The Victoria Y.M.C.A. Speaker's Club will meet tonight at 8 in the Y.M.C.A. board room.

Frank Paulding, instructor, will deliver a lecture entitled "Fundamental Human Reactions," and a debate by club members will be held on the topic: "Resolved, that the Japanese be excluded from B.C. after the war."

## Airmen Freed



F.Lt. Arthur E. Freeman and Sgt. Robert J. Mayer have been released from German internment and are now in England according to word received here.

Freeman has been a prisoner of war since December, 1943, and word of his liberation was received yesterday by his wife, Harriet, Happy Valley. The 26-year-old airman has been with the service since early 1942 and overseas since April of the following year.

Born at Duncan, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Freeman, live at Cobble Hill.

A flight engineer, Mayer transferred from the army following Dunkirk, where he served with a British regiment. He was listed missing early this year. Born at Port Alberni, he was educated in Australia, enlisted in London and last October married there. His wife, Pamela, lives at Kensington.

The 27-year-old airman is the son of Mrs. M. E. Mayer, 2180 Pentland Road.

### Augment Building Fund

The sum of \$222.85 was realized from a silver tea and bride doll which was given by St. Joseph's W.A. The proceeds will go towards the building fund. Guests were received by the president, Mrs. F. Doherty, and the tea was held in the Nurses' Home.

Those who were invited to preside at the urns were Mesdames P. E. George, E. Beas and C. Mulcahy and Miss Wynne Varney. Mrs. J. A. Cooney was general convener and was assisted by Mesdames Hall, Hornsby, Dixon, Jones, Mulvihill, Bell and Hunter. Nurses in their white uniforms served. Mrs. J. McLellan was at the door and Mrs. F. Gill displayed the doll and the bride costume, which was done by Mrs. McLellan.

A musical program was given by Mrs. L. Moore, accompanied by Mrs. A. Miller.

A letter which spoke of "an imperative need for additional stabling at Willows Park," was received from S. W. Randall, manager of the Colwood Park Association Ltd., operating Willows Park, by Mayor Percy George, Saturday. Mr. Randall requested: "Now that the war is over in Europe, perhaps you could obtain sufficient lumber to build at least 40 stalls."



WEDNESDAY—STORE HOURS: 9 a.m. to 12 Noon

Store Will Be Closed Thursday, May 24



Swimming

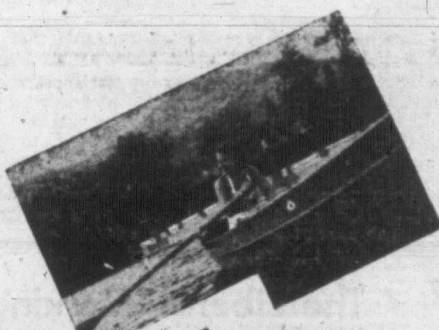
... and Mother and daughter will find their swim or sun suit on our Fashion Floor. Father and son look over our collection on the Street Floor.



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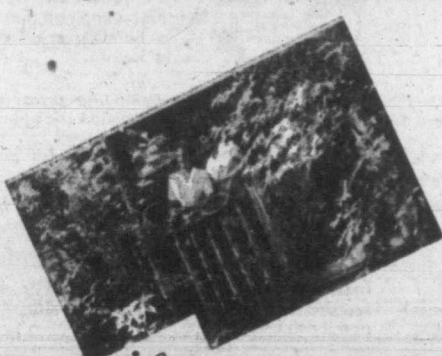
... a pleasure that brings worthwhile results. You'll find the tools on our Third Floor... the sturdy clothes for women in our Fashion Departments... for men on our Street Floor.

# So Many Ways to Have Fun Over the 24<sup>th</sup>



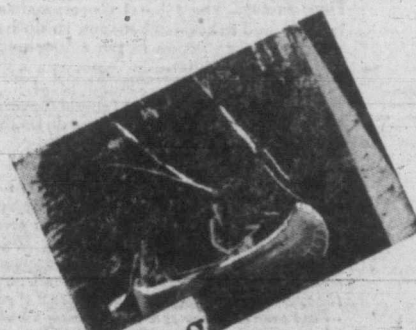
Boating

... calls for sun and play-time clothes. Men will head towards our Men's Clothing... Ladies to the Sun 'n' Surf Shop, Fashion Floor... and take a bottle of suntan lotion along from Toiletries, Street Floor.



Tennis

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Canoeing

... is restful and doesn't require too much energy. Choose a three-piece sun suit or one of our smart slack suits, Fashion Floor.



Bicycling

... is grand exercise for young and old alike. Choose your slacks 'n' shirts from our smart collection, Fashion Floor.



Picnics

... the real fun of any holiday... good food. You'll find the best selection in our Food Departments, Lower Main Floor. The food accessories like paper plates, tablecloths, in our Stationery Department, Street Floor.

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## All-Star Ball Team

Victoria all-star baseball team to oppose Bellingham Bells in two games at Athletic Park May 24, starting at 2:30 and 6:15, was announced today by officials of the local league.

Pitching staff will include Tommy Musgrave, ace member of the V.M.D. corps; Stan Douglas, Eagles; George Boston, Army, in addition to a moundman from the R.C.A.F. string.

For infield duty the All-Stars will have Babe Work, V.M.D.; Bud Westline, Army; Dick LaTiff, Navy; Charlie Strouger, V.M.D.; Ken Van Hatten, Navy; Eddie Cross, Army; and Barney Barnswell, V.M.D. Outfielders

will be Charlie Restell, V.M.D., and Gil Elice and Art Amon, both of the Navy.

Catching chores will be handled by Reg. Patterson, V.M.D., and Cliff Kilburn of the R.C.A.F.

Before Thursday, it is quite possible Jimmy Lyons of the V.M.D., who will act as manager of the All-Stars in their first game, will add additional players to his lineup.

Bellingham, entered in the Vancouver Senior League, have an imposing lineup. It is quite possible the Bells may bring over a couple of major leaguers who are stationed in that area with the armed forces.

## Select Track Team For Vancouver Meet

Coach Archie McKinnon today announced the selection of a track team will compete in the track and field meet to be held at Vancouver's Hastings Park May 24.

Those taking part in the meet, staged by the sports division of the Boilermakers and Iron-Shipbuilders' Union of Canada, will be: Pat Fleming, western Canada's junior high jump champion; Elaine Silburn, western Canada junior broad jump champion; Ron Dalziel, senior 100 and 220 yards; Glyn Dalziel, senior 440 yards and junior 100 yards and broad jump; John Dobbie,

senior mile and junior high jump; Don Wilson, senior half mile, senior and junior high jump and senior pole vault; Herb Brown, senior 100 and 220 yards; Bill Dalziel, senior and junior weight events.

The team will leave Wednesday afternoon and will take part in the relays if Elaine Barry and Megan Scott can accompany the team.

### LAWN BOWLING

Annual Empire Day Cup competition will be held Thursday at the Burnside Lawn Bowling Club. It is an open mixed triples event and intending competitors are asked to file their entries soon as possible. Play will start at 1:30.

## Greater Victoria Schools Hold Sports

Annual sports of elementary and high schools of Greater Victoria will be held during the course of the next 10 days. Eliminations have already been held in some schools and competition in the various finals is certain to be extremely keen with most schools boasting their largest entries to date.

Summary of meets follow:

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 23

Oak Bay High School, at Cranmore Road grounds, commencing at 1:30.

Esquimalt High School and Lampson Street School, at Bullen Park, 2.

Mount View High School, at school grounds, 11 and 2.

City elementary schools, at Athletic Park, 2.

Saanich Public Schools, at Hampton Road grounds, 1:30.

### FRIDAY, MAY 25

Central Junior High School, at Athletic Park, 1:30.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1

Victoria High School, at school grounds, 1:30.

### JUNIOR FASTBALL

James Bay will play Gorge Pharmacy in a junior fastball game at Heywood Avenue grounds tonight at 6:30. Alderman Mulliner, vice-president of the James Bay Boys' Club, will pitch the first ball.

## They'll Do It Every Time



## Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

WELL REMEMBERED as one of the few ball players to ever go from a Victoria team up to the major league, Bobby Steele, who pitched for the local entry in the old Northwest League back in 1914, is spending a holiday in the city. Steele, who only retired from the game 10 years ago, has been in business for the last 18 at Burlington, Wisconsin, where he operated a combined bowling alley and cocktail lounge. "I was born in Wisconsin but lived about five years in Victoria and that is the reason a lot of people have always figured I was a native of your city," Steele said. While Steele is staying with his mother, Mrs. S. P. Steele, Earl Grey Street.

A SOUTHPAW hurler Steele started his baseball career here under the late Walter Lorimer with the old Beacon Hill club. Another member of that team was Walter Gravin, well-known professional at the Uplands Golf Club. In 1913 Steele was signed by the Victoria pro team and after pitching one game was farmed out to the Moose Jaw club. He returned to Victoria the following year and after a fine season was sold to the St. Louis Cardinals of the National League. He joined the Cards at the tender age of 18 and hurled for them three seasons. He spent the next two seasons with Pittsburgh and followed that with two years under the late John McGraw with the New York Giants. "While with Pittsburgh I had the distinction of being the first player to go in as a pinch hitter for the great Honus Wagner," Steele said. Following two seasons with the Giants Steele jumped from the big leagues into industrial ball during which time he played all over the United States.

STEELE retired from the game in quite dramatic fashion while southpawing for Kenosha in a mid-west league. "I was working a game when a left-handed batter teed off on a pitch and blazed a line drive past my head that would have torn it off if I had not ducked out of the way," Bobby remarked with a smile. "I just walked off the mound and asked the manager if he had another pitcher warmed up. When he replied 'Yes,' I told him when I couldn't keep those left-handed hitters under control it was time for me to hang up the glove. That was my last appearance. If I was 10 years younger I would be back in there right now. This season looks like a great one for the veterans and youngsters. In baseball now you're either too old or too young."

STEELE still retains his interest in the game and makes trips to Chicago to watch the major league clubs in action and to Milwaukee where the American Association teams perform. His big ambition right now is to see Pete Gray, the one-armed outfielder of the St. Louis Browns play. "I'm going to make sure I see him play on my return home as I want to see for myself just where he gets all that power at the plate." While in Victoria Steele plans to try his hand at some salmon fishing and will go out tomorrow with Harry Woolston, secretary of the Chinook Club, with the hope of hauling in one of those 30-pounders at Brentwood.

### Trouble Ahead For Giants?

## Beaten By Pittsburgh

### Racing Results

NARRAGANSETT, R.I. Racing results here Monday follow:

First Race—  
Never Alone \$13.20 \$7.60 \$6.50  
Maiden 6.80 4.20  
Mu-Liquet 5.40  
Scratched—Port Spitz.

Second Race—  
Sickle Dart \$13.80 \$17.20 \$6.50  
Try Flying 3.20 2.20  
Pina's Scout 3.00

Third Race—  
Aline Time \$16.60 \$6.20 \$4.50  
Bitter Warm 4.20 2.10  
Neat Koe 4.80

Scratched—Lady Deck.

Fourth Race—  
Sury Hi \$9.10 \$5.60 \$4.60  
High Priority 11.60 3.90  
Red Fox 6.00

Fifth Race—  
Brown Fox \$102.00 \$18.20 \$19.60  
Valdina Rocket 4.00 2.00  
Bomb Berlin 4.20

Scratched—Flaming High.

Sixth Race—  
Bar Willow \$14.25 \$4.00 \$3.40  
Ample Reward 2.40 2.40  
Easy Chance 6.00

Scratched—King Leroy, Boy Angier.

Seventh Race—  
Sals Sister \$16.60 \$6.80 \$4.20  
Allegro 3.20 2.20  
Dan's Choice 2.80

Scratched—Pompos Fox, Fox Prince, Tony G.

Eighth Race—  
On the Double \$15.80 \$7.20 \$3.40  
Boris N. 2.40 2.80  
Pump Gun 2.80

Scratched—Cub Appl.

### FASTBALL WORKOUT

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## Minor Ball Loops May End Rule Of New Boss Chandler

NEW YORK (AP) — Baseball Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler rules the minor leagues until Jan. 12, 1946, but there were indications today his reign of the smaller loops might end on that date.

Representatives of minor league baseball, feeling they were ignored in the election of Chandler after asking a voice in naming a Landis successor, converge on New York Wednesday to open a three-day session.

One of the most important matters to be discussed in drawing up a new major-minor agreement will be the first clause of the expiring pact calling for recognition of the position of the commissioner.

Although none of the minor spokesmen would go on record in opposition to Chandler and all boosted him personally, there was an undercurrent of resentment against the majors.

WOULD SHARE COST

The minors had no vote in the late Judge Kenesaw Landis' selection and paid none of his salary but had asked at a Feb. 26 session in Chicago for consideration in naming his successor. They said they were willing to bear a share of the cost.

Thomas H. Richardson, chairman of the executive committee, said the Chicago suggestion had never been answered nor had there been a reply from a similar offer sent to the majors' advisory council in Cleveland when Chandler was elected.

Territorial restrictions and a higher waiver price were voted at Chicago and probably will be included in the text of the new agreement, subject to approval by the National Association of Minor League in December and by the two majors.

Proposals for changes in the old code, received by the committee since the February sessions, will be considered and the new rules will be codified preparatory to a joint conclave with the majors' representatives in mid-summer.

## Official Opening Of Tennis Courts

Thursday, May 24, will mark the official opening of the grass courts at the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club. Since last season closing the members have worked hard to improve the club, having shingled the roof of the clubhouse, erected new fences and gates and spent hundreds of hours improving the courts. In many other ways they have showed the true club spirit by giving of their time and energy to keep the club operating during these critical times.

This year the grass courts are looking in the finest condition since before the war. Several prominent former players are expected to play this year, among the better known ones being Don Campbell and Bill Dunbar.

The social committee is planning for the opening summer dance next month in the clubhouse and the games committee is arranging several matches. It is hoped that enough new and former members will play this year to warrant a club tournament, which has been a war casualty since 1939. The entrance fee has again been waived for this year and any persons desiring membership may obtain the necessary forms from either the secretary or treasurer on Thursday. All former members and their friends as well as any prospective members will be welcomed to the opening as guests of the club. Tea will be served and games will be arranged for all those wishing to play.

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## Army Beats Eagles, Cross Clouts Homer

With southpaw Johnny Rosedale sending 17 batters back to the dugout, victims of his tantalizing curve ball, the Army marked up a 10 to 8 win over the Eagles in Monday night's ball game but were forced to smuff out a dangerous rally by the lodgemen in the final inning.

After passing only one man in eight innings and never getting into any serious trouble, Rosedale suddenly lost his control in the ninth and walked three successive batters. Rosedale came through with his second straight double and Carson got a life on first when catcher Buchanan lost control of the pitch. Douglas promptly clouted a single and four runs had drifted across the plate. Army coach Ray Casey called time and George Boston took over the pitching chores. On his first pitch to Yardley, the Eagles shortstop was thrown out at first by Holness and Douglas was doubled off second to end the game.

Rosedale gave up nine hits and looked good against the weak Eagles club until the last frame. Young Art Ellis, making his second appearance of the season for the Eagles, pitched a fair game but received little support with six errors charged against his teammates. He allowed 11 hits, struck out seven and walked one.

### HITS HOMER

Army moved into the lead in the first inning and were never headed when Holness singled and Cross lifted the ball high over the centre field fence. Trio of errors gave the troops an additional two runs in the third.

Eagles came back with a pair in the fourth mainly through a bad boot by second sacker Cross but the lodgemen continued to kick the ball around and the Army added three in their half of the inning. "Troops put together three solid hits for two runs in the seventh and wound up with a single in the eighth."

With three for five, including two doubles, Bud Westline paced the Army at the plate. Stan Douglas and Rosy McLellan, pitchers playing in the outfield, were the top stickers for the Eagles, the former with three for three and McLellan two for two.

Wednesday night the undefeated R.C.A.F. Flyers, leading the league with two straight victories, will hook up with the V.M.D. starting at 6:15. Cy Shillito will take the mound for the first time this season for the shipyarders and Bill McDonald is expected to work for the airmen.

Short score follows:

Eagles	R. H. E.
Army	8 9 6
Batteries: Ellis and Hayden; Rosedale, Boston and Buchanan	10 11 5

## Brentwood Aces In Fastball Win

By a score of 13 to 4, Brentwood Aces went all out to defeat Spruce Products hime in a B section fastball game Monday night. K.U.'s beat Kiwanis O.K.'s in the boys' section.

With one run in the first inning and three in the second, the Aces did not look back, but steadily raised their score.

Spruce Products came to life in the third inning to score one run. In the first half of the fifth, the Aces went wild and chalked up another five runs.

The Aces ran their score to 11 to 3 in the sixth, and added one run in the eighth and one in the ninth, bringing their score to 13, while Spruce Products managed only one more run in the last of the eighth.

Rom Knott was the winning pitcher.

## Island Cup Soccer Final Saturday

Football will make its belated swan song at Macdonald Park, Saturday afternoon, when Victoria West oppose Nansimo, in the island final of the Province Cup series. Kickoff is set for 3.

Last Saturday the Wests came up with a well-earned 4 to 2 triumph over a strengthened V.M.D. line-up. Winner Saturday will advance into the competition proper against the surviving Vancouver eleven.

## Seattle Splits, Portland Beaten By Los Angeles

Los Angeles, riding the crest of a four-game winning streak at the expense of the league-leading Portland Beavers, heads for Seattle today to tackle the Rainiers, who strengthened their grip on second place in a series with San Francisco.

In the only Coast League games played last night the Angels beat Portland 9 to 8, giving the pace-setters their first series loss of the season, while Seattle split 9 to 4 and 1 to 3 in a twin bill with San Francisco.

The Seals, who have played three doubleheaders in four days, continue the grind with a single game at Portland tonight. Los Angeles and Seattle will remain idle today, opening their series with a twin encounter Wednesday evening.

### HOME-RUN PITCH

The Beavers, who dropped the last four of their six games with the Angels, were victims of a ninth-inning five-run uprising last night. Submariner Ad Liska, ace of the Portland mound staff, was credited with the loss as the result of his first pitch. Liska was sent in as relief hurler after the Angels had scored one run and loaded the bases. His first toss, a low curve, was slammed over the right field wall by pinch-hitter Johnny Moore to give the Californians a one-run margin.

Los Angeles set Portland down one-two-three in the last of the ninth.

Seattle, which took its series with the Seals 4 to 2, had little trouble in winning the opener 9 to 4, but ran into trouble in the nightcap. Bob Batthelson, hard-throwing Seals' pitcher, came through with a four-hit one-run classic while his mates were turning six hits into three runs off Chet Johnson, making his debut for Seattle.

First Game—	R. H. E.
San Francisco	4 11 3
Seattle	9 4 2
Batteries—Brundell, Atiller (6) and Spriner; Elliott, Demora (4) and Finley.	
Second Game—	R. H. E.
San Francisco	3 6 1
Seattle	9 14 2
Batteries—Batthelson and Spriner; C. Johnson, Hearne (6) and Summe.	
Los Angeles	9 14 2
Portland	8 11 1
Batteries—Marshall, Balcer (1), Lam-mers (7), C. Adams (6) and Kreinir; Jansen (7), C. Adams (6) and Kreinir; Jansen (7), C. Adams (6) and Kreinir; Jansen (7), C. Adams (6) and Kreinir.	

## 455 in Test Match

LONDON (CP)—During the second day of a three-day unofficial test match at Lords cricket ground, Australia Monday increased their overnight score of 82 for two wickets to 455 all out, thus being 188 runs ahead of England at the end of the first innings.

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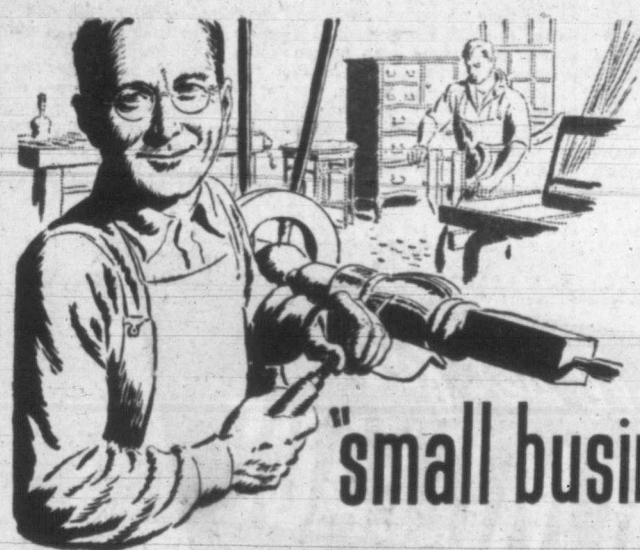
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## Appreciate Work Of V-E Day Committee

Mayor Percy George in a special letter to the City Council Monday placed on record, his appreciation of the work of the Greater Victoria V-E Day Committee under the chairmanship of Ald. Ed. Williams and his remarks were endorsed by council.

"The thanksgiving service was conducted in a spirit of reverence and dignity and the huge gathering of citizens who joined in the service, was evidence of a general desire on the part of the people to give thanks for the end of hostilities in Europe bringing relief from further anxiety in that field of conflict."

Council endorsed the Mayor's recommendation that the following officials be authorized to attend the 1945 conference of the Municipal Officers' Association to be held in the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, in June: M. F. Hunter, city clerk; D. A. MacDonald, city comptroller; John Baxter, mayor's secretary; E. G. Snowden, social welfare officer, and A. V. Danby, assistant assessor and collector.

Notification that the municipality of Saanich received and filed a letter from the city in which the municipality was asked to form a town planning commission, received a comment of "lack of vision and co-operation" from the mayor. Council suggested that Mayor George speak with Reeve E. C. Warren on the matter.

In a brief ceremony before the opening of the meeting Mayor George presented Stanley James with the Victory Loan pennant which indicated that the city employees passed their 8th Victory Loan quota. His Worship congratulated the employees who attained 109.4 per cent of their quota and referred particularly to the inside staff who obtained 160 per cent of their quota.

A resolution of Ald. W. H. Davies wherein he urged official Dominion government recognition of Staff-Sgt. Henry A. Larsen, Victoria, and the crew of the R.C.M.P. schooner St. Roch for their epic voyage through the Arctic Ocean, was passed by Council. The resolution expressed the city's admiration and pride in the vessel's captain and crew.

Ald. Williams told council the time was coming when the city would have to think of a public health building, during discussion of a recommendation for expenditure of \$130 on temporary quarters for a public health nurse. The recommendation was approved.

## Woman Acquitted In Bond Theft Case

Mrs. Helen Keillor was acquitted by an Assize jury Monday on a charge of stealing two \$50 Victory bonds from Mrs. Roberta Moore, 218 Cross Street.

The second trial of Mrs. Keillor, ordered by Mr. Justice A. M. Harper, when the jury at the first trial could not agree, closed the Spring Assizes following three weeks of hearings.

Jurors were: A. Doble, foreman; S. A. Keeble, A. Levy, R. Noble, D. Grant, D. R. Ewing, A. Sewell, H. R. Millburn, G. H. Cambrey, W. T. Elliott, E. A. Estlin and M. G. Humber.

J. B. Clearhue, K.C., appeared for the Crown, and P. J. Sinnott for the defence.

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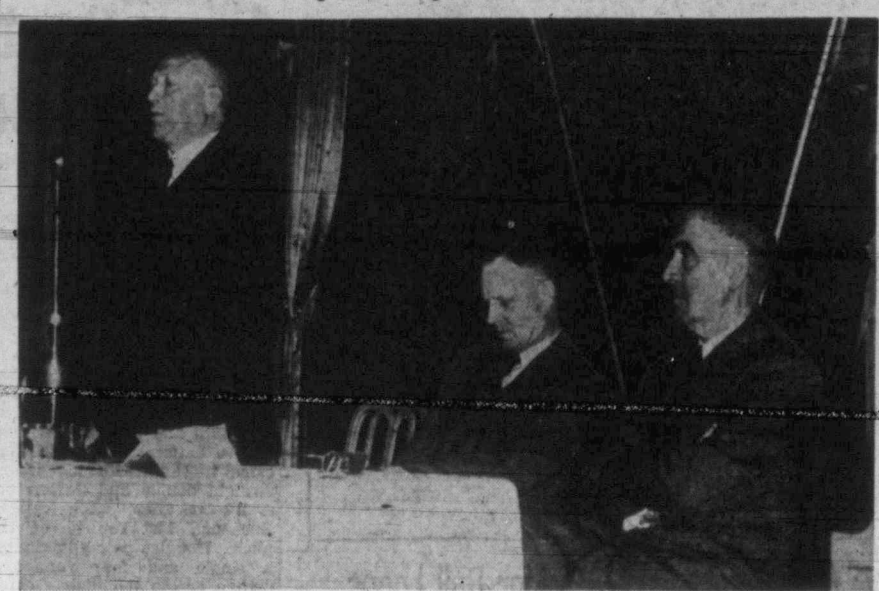
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## Voters Must Consider Leadership, Record, Policy, Says Senator Farris



"It is required Canadian people be of one mind and one determination," says Air Vice-Marshal Raymond Collishaw. On his left: F. W. Davey, K.C., and R. W. Mayhew, Victoria Liberal candidate.

Appealing to the voters to re-elect the Liberal government on its record, its postwar policy and its leadership, Senator J. W. deB. Farris said Monday night: "The record of the Mackenzie King government is one that any Liberal or any supporter of that party can be justly proud of."

Addressing a Liberal election rally at the Empress Hotel in support of R. W. Mayhew, Victoria Liberal candidate, Senator Farris, devoting the bulk of his hour-long address to an analysis of the King government's record, warned that "more elections are won on false slogans, when they are improperly won, than on anything else."

Also supporting Mr. Mayhew, who gave a short address, was Air Vice-Marshal Raymond Collishaw, C.B., D.S.O., and Bar. O.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C., native son of Nanaimo, who is the most decorated aviator of the two world wars. H. W. Davey, president of the Victoria Federal Liberal Association, was chairman.

Of Mr. Mayhew, Senator Farris said he was a good citizen and had been a good member of the House of Commons in his representation of Victoria.

In financial policies, the Senator said, Canada had spent \$15,000,000,000 on war, of which 76 per cent was paid through taxation.

### NO DEBT MILLSTONE

"It has not been stored up as debt to become a millstone around our necks when we attempt to solve our postwar problems," he said.

Comparing the elections at the polls on June 11 to shareholders of a corporation passing judgment on their directors, he said the 21 per cent of the borrowed money was owed to the Canadian people with only 3 per cent of the debt being owed outside Canada. This, he said, was entirely different from before the war when the government wishing to borrow went to financial firms in London or New York.

Victory Loans, he said, had been supported by the Canadian people because the people knew the money was being spent well. The policy of conscription of wealth advocated by M. J. Coldwell, national leader of the C.C.F., was a play on words, said Senator Farris.

He explained that the government in corporation taxes took 40 per cent of the normal profits and then 100 per cent of any profits in excess of that amount.

"Isn't that conscription of wealth?" he asked. "There has been the most drastic conscription of wealth in what I referred to corporations."

What was left over of corporation profits after the taxes had been taken off, he continued, was subject to further taxation in income taxes, which were on graduated scale so that a person whose income was \$100,000 in a year forfeited \$80,000 to the government.

Despite the fact that thousands had gone to the war fronts and to war industries, the output of Canadian farms in 1944 was valued at \$2,500,000,000, compared with \$1,075,000,000 in 1939, he continued. Canada last year sent to Great Britain 700,000,000 pounds of bacon, 132,000,000 pounds of beef, 129,000,000 pounds of cheese and 95,000,000 bushels of wheat.

"I'm trying to tell you what you have done under the direction and organization of your government," he said. "Let us be fair and let us be sensible. No unorganized country, no country that did not use intelligence, no country that has muddled its affairs could possibly have accomplished these things."

### LIVING UP ONLY 2 PER CENT

Without taxation, he continued, efficient price control would be impossible and no force on earth could have held the cost of living

down. Since 1941 when inflation control came into effect in Canada the cost of living had risen only 2 per cent, far less than during the 1914-18 war when Canada's effort of \$1,500,000,000 spent on the war was what he described as only minor compared with the \$10,500,000,000 spent on war products in World War II.

Senator Farris outlined the achievements of the individual fighting services. Canada, he said, sometimes referred to as the airdrome of

democracy, today the fourth largest air power of the United Nations, under the Commonwealth Air Training Plan boasted 150 air training centres with 10,000 training planes which flew an average of 2,000,000 miles every day. The cost of the plan was \$2,300,000,000, he said, adding: "Yet what they have achieved has been under the voluntary system."

Despite the fact that Canada started from scratch, for she was not a shipbuilding nation, Canada shipyards have produced

500 larger warships including destroyers, corvettes and minesweepers, 314 10,000-ton cargo ships, 500 other warships including tugs and 6,500 smaller vessels.

Personnel in the Canadian navy, he said, was 80,000 men, while 45,000 Canadians had served in the merchant marine. "What the sailors did in the dark days of the war was the determining factor in keeping the life lines to Britain open," he said. He added:

"So far as I know there were no deserters in that day. I haven't heard of them. I'm sure if there had been John Bracken would have told about it."

Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton's glorious record for four and a half years in this war could not be destroyed because he attempted to serve Canada in another capacity, as defence minister, said the senator.

Total enlistments in the service has been over 1,000,000, he said, and today there were 350,000 men in the army.

### GLORIOUS RECORD

"The record of that army is as glorious as that of any army in this war," he said. "And at no time in its history has that army been short of reinforcements."

A study of the record of Canadian forces made it obvious that Canada had not muddled through the war, he said.

Speaking of the Pacific war, he said it was Gen. McNaughton's policy to carry out his original plan of striking the enemy with the greatest possible force with the least possible casualties to the men.

Of conscription, he warned that a "national situation will not permit an ideal situation."

One-third of the population was French-Canadian—a capable group. In French-Canadian regiments serving overseas there was just as many heroes, just as much bravery shown, as in

any other group overseas, he said.

Explaining the background of the French-Canadian attitude, he said conscription had been ingrained in them over two or three generations. Compared with 6,000 deserters in this war when conscription was inaugurated, there had been 24,000 deserters in the last war, he said.

The manpower crisis he described as the greatest crisis in the history of Canada. Prime Minister King accomplished, in the three weeks Gen. McNaughton tried out the voluntary system during the crisis last fall, one of the greatest things accomplished in Canadian history, avoiding a wartime election.

If Col. J. L. Ralston, defence minister then, had brought in conscription half the government would have gone out, he said, reminding his audience that at that time the Germans made their drive into the U.S. lines, and such a move would have been disheartening to the United States.

"I can see nothing more calamitous than would have been that election at that time," he said.

An election would have brought encouragement to the enemies of the United Nations and would have disrupted the friendly relations of the two peoples of Canada—made a rift which would have taken one or two generations to repair, he said.

He noted that Australia, South Africa and Northern Ireland did not have conscription.

To the charge of Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., opposing Lt.-Col. Alan Chambers, D.S.O., in the Nanaimo riding, that the Canadian corps in Italy had been removed to France as reinforcements, Senator Farris quoted Prime Minister King that the shift had been agreed on at Yalta.

While a great many Canadians would enjoy retaliation which

was the spirit of Mr. Bracken's policy of conscripting slackers for the Pacific war, he said it would create a serious situation to fight that war on such a basis.

The election of the Progressive Conservatives, which could only be accomplished through the support of the Union Nationale and the Bloc Populaire parties in Quebec, would do untold damage to the British connection here, said the senator.

"Mackenzie King is the greatest leader Canada has ever had," he concluded. "He has led this country in the most difficult period this country has ever had. . . . When the war is over Mackenzie King will come more and more into his own. His inspiration is that of a great humanitarian. He is one of the greatest humanitarians the world has ever known. . . . He is the one man to finish the job of war and to lead us into the great job of peace."

### GOOD AIR FORCE

Air Vice-Marshal Collishaw said Canada through the Commonwealth Air Training Plan had played a big part in bringing about the collapse of Germany and had created a magnificent air force.

The army, he said, was magnificently equipped and had given a magnificent performance. The navy, which had done such a fine job in convoy work, had been produced from practically nothing, he said.

With this record of achievements, he said, one found everywhere aboard a high regard for the job Canada had done. Just as a strong government was required to make this record, so a strong government was needed to carry on the war to completion in the Pacific and to win the peace.

"I think the government of the day will play a strong role in the future if the people give it strong

support," he said. "It is required the Canadian people be of one mind and one determination."

Mr. Mayhew said it was the Liberal promise to exert all the government's energy to win the struggle for peace which would continue for several generations—a struggle which would really never be completed.

The prewar cry of "No Money" would not be acceptable to Canadians after the war. Canadians, he said, would not be satisfied to see great waterpower idle, while factories, farms and homes were without sufficient power, farms without irrigation, forests becoming wasteland while there were men to reforest them, nor would they be satisfied to travel on U.S. roads to go from one Canadian town to another Canadian town.

No country, he said, would push Canada aside to rob her of her right to air transport. "The mass of the world's population is in the northern hemisphere, and if east and west are to meet, the meeting place will be over Canadian territory," he said.

He said Canadians would have to change their viewpoint in regard to education. He said returning fighters would have to catch up on their lost education and suggested a full year for the adjustment from fighting to civilian life. He urged that vocational training be given as well as higher education.

Mr. Mayhew said it was a credit to the government that it had been able to finance its war loans at such low interest rates.

Of Hon. C. D. Howe, reconstruction minister, he said he knew of no man of whom more could be expected.

"I cannot see hard times ahead of us," he said. "I can see only good times ahead of us if we all put our shoulders to the wheel and work half as hard for peace as we did for war."

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## Memorial Day Set For June 6; Park Service June 3

Graves of servicemen in the Victoria area will be decorated June 6 and a special memorial concert and service will be held in Beacon Hill Park at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of Sunday, June 3, the Citizens' Memorial Day Committee decided at a meeting in City Hall this morning.

"This should be an annual affair and we would like representatives from organizations throughout the city at the service in the park," Ald. W. H. Davies, chairman of the committee, said. There will be massed bands in attendance, he said, and added that a brief address would be given by a representative of the Ministerial Association. Chaplains representing the army, navy and air force would be invited, he said.

Commander-in-Chief of the R.C.A.F. informed the committee by letter that the air force wish to take pictures of the decoration of the airmen's graves June 6, which they will forward to different parts of the Empire.

Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion will decorate servicemen's graves at Colwood; Pro Patria at Royal Oak, Naval Veterans' Branch at the Naval Cemetery, and the commission's reply was read at the meeting today.

"We will co-operate to the fullest possible extent, and want to know what financial assistance is needed," the commission wrote. Mrs. A. H. C. Phillips of the L.O.D.E., the organization which has been looking after the graves, stated that actual upkeep and maintenance cost \$120 a year. The L.O.D.E. will continue to look after the graves and see that they are decorated, she added.

## Juveniles Charged In Theft Cases

Following arrest Sunday night by Saanich Constables E. Anderson, A. Beech and J. Hamilton of a juvenile who was charged with auto theft in Saanich juvenile court Monday, investigations were made by Cpl. C. Pearce and Constable W. A. Pearson which resulted in an additional charge of the theft today against the youth and charges of theft against three other juveniles alleged involved.

The car, owned by A. Price, George Road, was recovered by police shortly after it had been reported stolen. It was stripped of a number of parts, police report.

The first youth also appeared in city juvenile court today and was charged with break-in and entering Wilson and Cabellu Ltd. and stealing tires, and with stealing a radio, a heater and stealing from a car outside Crystal Garden Saturday.

Apart from the car, value of parts and tires allegedly stolen by the youths runs into several hundred dollars.

## Due Home Soon

Flt. Lieut. John F. Neilans, D.F.C., recently decorated for special service overseas, is now at Lachine, Que., R.C.A.F. repatriation depot prior to entraining for home.

His mother, Mrs. J. E. Neilans, lives at 2140 Epworth Street. Neilans, a native of Edmonton, has flown a full tour with the City of Hamilton's Tiger Squadron. He was educated at Edmonton and was a teller with the Royal Bank of Canada at Edmonton, Calgary and Lethbridge before enlisting in January, 1942. His mother has resided in Victoria for the past eight years and his father served throughout the last war with the Princess Pats.

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## Tito Backs Down

LONDON (CP)—Yugoslavia's Marshal Tito appeared today to have executed an about-face in his attitude toward the occupation of Trieste and the surrounding area, giving rise to speculation in London that he might have received a suggestion from Moscow to change his stand.

Diplomatic circles close to the Foreign Office said the situation was "definitely improved" and there were indications of an early solution.

Tito was withdrawing his Partisan forces from southern Austria, one of the points of dispute, and Yugoslav occupation headquarters had been removed from Trieste, although both British and Partisan troops remained in the Adriatic port.

Allied trucks, tanks and armored cars moved over the roads north of Trieste in the Gorizia area.

Yugoslav troops offered no resistance to the British and up to late today there had been no report of incidents between troops of the two armies. One U.S. soldier, however, was wounded when he stepped on a mine near a roadblock. The mine was believed to have been laid by the Germans.

(The BBC said Field Marshal Sir Harold Alexander, supreme

Allied commander in the Mediterranean, had gone to Trieste with the chief of staff of the U.S. 5th Army.)

The U.S. and British troops wore no battle helmets, but carried their usual arms.

There were indications of Tito's apparent readiness to discuss with Italy the long-term status of the disputed territory, and with the Allies the present status of occupation. Sources close to the Foreign Office believed the matter of immediate occupation would be settled through diplomatic channels, rather than through direct talks with Field Marshal Alexander, Allied Mediterranean commander.

It was believed in London that the Yugoslavs were prepared to agree to a peaceful, but temporary, settlement of the dispute and would press their territorial claims at the Peace Conference.

Both British and American troops—moved east and north to day along the Isonzo River and the coastal road Trieste in a peaceful penetration of Italy country overlooking their former positions as the political deadlock over Trieste brought back the uneasy conditions of 10 days ago.

## 1,546 Repatriated Canadian Fliers Include 2 Victorians; Home Soon

NEW YORK (CP)—The largest draft of repatriated R.C.A.F. personnel—1,546 officers and men—has arrived from the United Kingdom and will leave shortly for Lachine, Que., and then their homes. Two Victoria officers are among the arrivals.

The draft includes 136 former prisoners of war and 26 members of the Women's Division. Practically every air force trade was represented in the party, although more than half were air crew.

Almost 80 wore decorations. They included Wing Cmdr. James D. Somerville of Toronto, commanding officer of the Night Hawks Squadron, who won the D.F.C. after completing a number of sorties in which he and his observer shot down four enemy aircraft, and the D.S.O., when he raised his score to seven, all shot down at night.

A Regina pilot who participated in the operations against the strategic Moehne, Eder and Serpex power dams in Germany, FO. Kenneth Brown, returned wearing the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal he received two years ago Wednesday for his part in the raid. He was a flight sergeant at the time.

A member of the Caterpillar Club is P. L. A. Shelden, navigator, Calgary, holder of the D.F.C. His aircraft was badly damaged in a Berlin raid but he successfully navigated it back to within a few miles of base. Owing to fuel shortage he was forced to parachute.

While the task of documenting all personnel began on board ship, special trains were being prepared on nearby sidings to transport the draft to No. 1 Repatriation Depot, Lachine. There they will receive special leaves, postings, transportation, meal tickets and new clothing before starting for their homes.

The arrivals included the following British Columbians: Sqdn. Ldr. L. C. Dillworth, D.F.C., Kelowna; FO. E. T. Jones, D.F.C., Western Air Command; FO. A. J. Kuzmil, D.F.C., 1225 East 15th Avenue, Vancouver; FO. R. A. Rutherglen, D.F.C., 651 Trutch Street, Victoria; Sqdn. Ldr. A. A. Jones, 1467 West 53rd, Vancouver; Flt. Lt. W. L. Marr, A.F.C., Fort Langley; Wing Cmdr. B. T. H. Martenson, 2915 West 15th, Vancouver; FO. B. J. McGillivray, D.F.C., Kaslo; Sqdn. Ldr. W. J. McNichol, 3270 Charles Street, Vancouver; Flt. Lt. J. F. Neilans, D.F.C., 2140 Epworth Street, Victoria; Wing Cmdr. S. E. Parker, M.B.C., A.F.C., 2046

LAC. Ivel Kenneth Dalziel was fined \$50 and was prohibited from driving for three months by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today on a charge of dangerous driving laid following an accident on the night of May 3, in which a man, Crichton R. Townsend, was killed.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
"Public Utilities Act"  
FERRY SERVICE BETWEEN VICTORIA INNER HARBOR AND GORGE  
TAKE NOTICE that an application has been received by the Public Utilities Commission for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the operation by James Mitchell Greaves of a ferry and sightseeing service for carrying passengers between the Inner Harbor at Victoria, B.C., and the Gorge, at the following rates:

ADULTS, \$2 each way, or \$3 return. CHILDREN, 50¢ each way.  
AND TAKE NOTICE that any objection to this application must be submitted in writing to the Public Utilities Commission, 510 Central Building, Victoria, B.C., on or before May 29, 1945.

W. A. CARPENTERS, Chairman, Public Utilities Commission.

## Commerce Chambers Show Keen Interest In Rehabilitation

Major objective of chambers of commerce and boards of trade throughout Canada is to see returned men properly re-established, H. C. Hayes, vice-chairman of the executive committee of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, said on his arrival here today. D. Morrell, Canadian Chamber of Commerce, is with him. They conferred with directors of the Victoria chamber at a luncheon meeting today.

Mr. Hayes, who visited chambers of commerce in Canadian cities on his way to the coast from Montreal, noted a feeling of optimism with regard to business and a keen interest in rehabilitation everywhere.

"Eastern businessmen," he said, "are giving an enormous amount of time to thoughts of postwar reconstruction. They are planning a flourishing trade in order to re-establish men and men of the services." He noted that in order to gain contact with other countries members of the Canadian chamber last winter participated in meetings in Rye, New York, with representatives of 42 countries.

Mr. Hayes said that Canadian businessmen are giving attention to plans for postwar tourist trade. Other parts of Canada are more aware than ever of the possibilities of the west coast in this connection.

"Great natural advantages possessed by the west coast," he said, "should do a great deal to offset stiff competition from the United States and Latin America."

Because air travel is becoming increasingly important to the tourist business, he pointed out that chambers of commerce are watching air conferences in different parts of the country. In this connection he noted that a recent conference at Edmonton had achieved fine results.

"One of the most important steps in keeping business stimulated to provide jobs," he said, "would be to do away with the 100 per cent excess profit tax. I don't think its loss would have any serious effect on the federal government. Its banishment would provide great incentive."

## Approve Burial Park For War Veterans At Royal Oak

A resolution from the Victoria and District Zone Council of the Canadian Legion, urging establishment and maintenance in this community of a Veterans' Burial Park, received the full endorsement of the Citizens' Memorial Day Committee, which met in City Hall today.

The committee hope to get the endorsement of the city and all municipalities and will then forward the resolution to the Imperial War Graves Commission. Ald. F. A. Willis suggested a conference with the commission to find out whether an extension of Royal Oak Burial Park or a new park would be advisable.

Further development of the Royal Oak acreage and were told to Harry Allan, secretary, that of the 84 acres in the park, about one-third of the total has been developed. J. Wittcomb of the Canadian Legion, said he felt the Legion would favor further development of Royal Oak for a special servicemen's section.

Criticism of Colwood was made with Ald. Willis stating: "Some parts are getting to look pretty rough and neglected." The question will be taken up at a meeting of the committee with the Royal Oak Burial Park Board, with a view to establishment of a veterans' burial park, the meeting decided. Major Carl Farris and Harry Thompson, also of the Legion, attended the meeting. Ald. W. H. Davies was chairman.

## Safe in England

Shot down over Germany in September, 1943, and a prisoner of war since that time, WO. Thomas "Tommy" Mackay, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Mackay, 837 St. Charles Street, has been liberated and is now safe in England, word received from R.C.A.F. headquarters, Ottawa, states.

Victoria-born 21 years ago, Tommy was educated at Sir James Douglas and Victoria High Schools and before enlisting in November, 1942, was employed at V.M.D., plant No. 2. He received his air gunner's wing at Portage la Prairie, Man.

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## Judge Tells Tenant To Vacate Suite

Judge H. H. Shandley awarded possession of the south upper suite, 2827 Cedar Hill Road, to the landlord, Mary Jane Twamley from her tenant, J. Carlow, when he made an order in her favor in County Court Chambers today.

The landlord gave notice on Oct. 5, 1944, to quit the \$18-a-month suite by May 5, 1945.

E. L. Tait appeared for the tenant.

His Honor reserved judgment in the case of Peter Kolsnyk vs. W. Hall, after expressing his dissatisfaction with the way property-owners go to the board and do not tell them everything so that they get the wrong forms of notices to quit.

Joseph McKenna, representing Hall, downstairs tenant of four unfurnished rooms in the eight-roomed house at 431 Hillside Avenue, where he lives with four children at an \$8-a-month rent, moved that the action be dismissed on the ground that the proceedings were wrongly conceived. The landlord should have used the form of notice proper for a shared accommodation or, alternatively, a multiple family dwelling as this was, he said.

E. L. Tait, plaintiffs' counsel, said that there was no distinction as to the right of a landlord to have accommodation even if it is shared.

Mrs. Lena Kolsnyk, wife of the landlord, said she needs the use of the lower floor since she has just had an operation and finds it too great a strain to carry the waste water downstairs, as she is required to do. Peter Kolsnyk also took the stand.

The date of hearing the case of E. R. Mickelson vs. Harry Cole was set for Tuesday next. Joseph McKenna appeared for Mr. Mickelson.

Open forum. All federal candidates, Chamber of Commerce Hall, May 25, 8 p.m. Sponsored by Local 1118 I.W.A.

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G 3532  
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G 1822  
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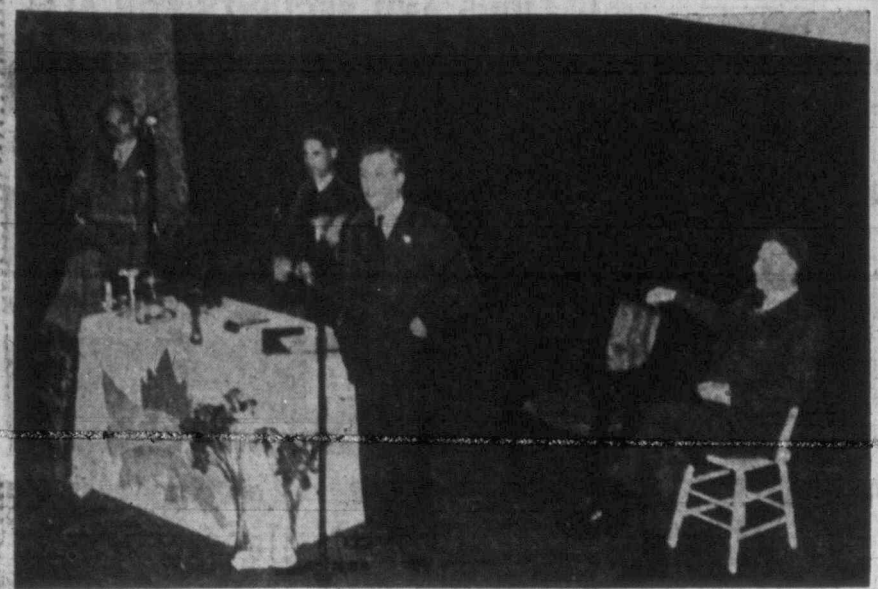
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## Overflow Crowd Hears C.C.F. Leader Launch Nation-Wide Campaign Here



What we have done for destruction in war we can do for construction in peace," says M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. national leader. Left to right: Harold Simpson, Victoria riding organizer; F.O. Murray Bryce, Victoria candidate, and Dr. J. M. Thomas, Nanaimo candidate.

Before an overflow crowd at the Royal Victoria Theatre, with several hundred listening to loud-speakers outside, M. J. Coldwell, national C.C.F. leader, opened the party's campaign here Monday night in support of F.O. Murray Bryce, the Victoria candidate, and Dr. J. M. Thomas, the Nanaimo candidate.

The national leader summed up the C.C.F. attitude in the premise "what we have done for destruction in war we can do for construction in peace."

In the course of his address he charged that from evidence he gained at the San Francisco peace conference, an organization in Toronto is preparing to launch the "most vicious, virulent campaign against the C.C.F. that has ever been conducted against a party in Canadian history."

Because this group who have exploited the people for generations know that their rule is threatened, they intend to use the radio, newspaper ads and pamphlets to ward off the threat with a tissue of falsehoods, he said.

"I don't think they will succeed," he said. But if they do it will only defer the day of reckoning. And what a day that will be when it comes."

**COLLECTION REALIZES \$903.** During the meeting H. L. Simpson appealed for a collection of \$3,000. It produced \$903.12, he announced at the close.

Mr. Coldwell spent more than half an hour answering questions after his main address, covering the Japanese question, the C.P.R., an attack on the Labor Progressive Party and the Herdridge expulsion at West Kootenay.

The C.C.F. leader speaks with an evangelist's enthusiasm. He wagged the index finger of his right hand continually as he charged writers of "scurrilous articles that we are anti-democratic" with falsehood, which "I throw back in their teeth."

"There is no movement so democratic as the C.C.F.—so completely controlled by the people," he declared.

"We intend to guard this principle—not sell it for a mess of pottage," he said. The C.C.F. would have no dealings with other political parties, particu-

larly one that did not stand for democracy.

This was a reference to the L.P.P., which he mentioned by name later.

"Let the Liberals build up such a group that would destroy democratic institutions," he said. "No subject of totalitarianism will find place nor part in this democratic movement so long as I lead it."

By nominations in Ontario, largely in ridings held by the C.C.F., the L.P.P. had shown its intention to defeat the C.C.F., he said.

**HERDIDGE CASE** With reference to the expulsion of Herbert W. Herdridge, former C.C.F. M.L.A. for Rossland-Trail, after his nomination in West Kootenay, Mr. Coldwell said:

"I don't propose that any constituency in this country should inflict on me or on this group any individual we cannot trust, because he is co-operating with another political party."

He was asked about compulsory military training. He gave it as a personal view—not a party policy—that until an efficient security organization is built up for the world, it may be necessary to give every young man a measure of training.

"I only hope," he added, "that I will not have to recommend it to the party."

**JAPANESE** On the Japanese question he said any who are disloyal or have attempted to assist the enemy in any way must be asked to return—and assisted to return—to their native country.

"But any one of any race or creed, who is loyal and willing to accept all the responsibilities of citizenship should be treated as anyone else in the country," he declared.

"I know men have misinterpreted my words on this subject and suggest we want to fill this province with Japanese."

"But if you look back. In 1936 Angus MacInnis submitted a resolution to Parliament that any who could not be assimilated, and could not achieve full citizenship, should be excluded."

"All the Liberals voted against it. And do you know why? Because there are some who could

not be elected without using the Japanese issue as a vehicle to power."

"A C.C.F. government would eliminate the issue entirely in the only way it can be eliminated."

**PARTY PROGRAM** Mr. Coldwell laid down the program a C.C.F. government would implement for Canada.

Its first duty would be to press the war against Japan "as far as Canada is able to participate in that task."

He said perhaps it would not be the principal function of Canada to ship large numbers of boys to the Pacific, but to continue to turn out the ships and munitions that would be needed on those fronts.

At home, he said, it would concentrate on delivering the people from domestic enemies, whether social or economic.

First would be "comprehensive and energetic measures to press home unremitting war against unemployment."

While the present government builds employment castles in the air, big business is going ahead with plans to shut down most of the giant war plants which have passed under its control and this will lay off tens of thousands of workers, he charged.

"Unless we take effective means to prevent this ruinous policy there will be a short feverish boom, and then depression," he said. "A million homes will be invaded by poverty, sickness and despair."

**5,000,000 JOBS** The C.C.F. objective, he said, is to provide 5,000,000 paying and useful jobs. But this is not possible until big finance is made the servant and not the master of the people, until the grip of monopolies is broken, and the people's war plants are taken out of monopoly hands and operated to meet peacetime needs.

Free enterprise would not do that. Such men as D. C. Coleman, president of the C.P.R., and Roger Babson are already predicting recurrent depressions.

Secondly, he said, the C.C.F. would organize full production on the farms and adequate diets in the cities. To meet the needs of proper diet Canadian farms should produce 107,000,000 gallons of milk more, 38,000,000

pounds of beef more, 76,000,000 pounds of pork more and 315,900,000 pounds of flour more than in an average prewar year.

### HOUSING PLAN

Other proposals advanced by the leader included 1,000,000 modern low cost houses over a 10-year period, a "vast extension of public health services, medical training and research and construction of hospitals and clinics, aimed at prevention of sickness and medical care for all, regardless of ability to pay; grants to assist in construction of modern educational facilities and construction of community centres for the arts, crafts, music, drama, adult education and recreation; a war memorial program in the form of national cultural and recreational buildings, including a national library and national theatres.

Mr. Coldwell said the C.C.F. wanted to build a fit Canada for the men returning from overseas. He claimed the party will get more of the overseas vote than both Liberals and Conservatives combined, and added:

"I'm not interested in the major-generals and the colonels who are being nominated by the Progressive Conservatives. I'm interested in the plain boy who has been up in the front line. You remember what was done after the last war. We've got to do something far far better for them this time."

### CANDIDATES SPEAK

Declaring that the old capitalist system could only end mass unemployment through war or preparation of war, F.O. Bryce said the C.C.F. proposed to mobilize for the peace as the country was mobilized for war.

He said he spoke as one of the generation that left school in the hungry 30s—when the Liberals and Conservatives couldn't find \$1,000,000 to provide work, but could find \$4,000,000,000 a few years later for war.

He charged the government with developing "another zombie situation" in its volunteer policy for the Pacific.

A friend at a large infantry camp told him he had yet to meet a soldier who would volunteer for a government that hasn't the decency and honesty to play square and send those who are needed, he said. The C.C.F., he maintained, has always stood for full conscription, of manpower, wealth and industry.

He charged discrimination in operations of airlines to Victoria. People were not supposed to use public-owned T.C.A. to go to Vancouver. The government reserved that profitable business for privately owned C.P. Airlines.

However, he said, people get around it by paying the Leith-bridge fare on T.C.A., then get a rebate. In this way they can get a return to Vancouver that profitable business for privately owned C.P. Airlines.

Dr. Thomas declared that capitalist society inevitably ends in bloody, ghastly war. Then and only then can it solve unemployment.

He said the Conservative program sounds good on the face of it, but the joker is the "free enterprise" plank. That is only freedom to starve midst plenty, he said. The Liberal record was one of utility and betrayal of the working people.

"Both parties are alike," he said, "the political mouthpieces of ruthless economic exploitation of people's souls and bodies."

F. J. Bevis was chairman.

### Arrest Juvenile

A juvenile, arrested Sunday night by Saanich constables E. Anderson and A. Beech, was charged in Saanich juvenile court this morning with automobile theft on Gorge Road and remanded to Tuesday morning.

Saanich police are continuing investigations today and Cpl. G. Pearce said it is hoped two other thefts will be cleaned up in which the juvenile is allegedly involved. Police report investigation so far has shown about \$50 worth of equipment was stripped from the car.

They expect, however, the total amount of equipment stolen to amount to considerably more. Further arrests in the case are pending.

### No Political Angle In Convict's Release

OTTAWA (CP)—Justice Minister St. Laurent said Monday night in a statement on the release of two men from jail in Saskatchewan last month that he had been assured no "political angle" was involved in the consideration given to applications for release of the men under ticket-of-leave.

Mr. St. Laurent referred to an election address Saturday night by Premier T. C. Douglas of Saskatchewan, who charged that "even established justice can be interfered with to serve political ends," and said Mike J. Bodnar, chief of Redberry, Sask., had been released from jail by federal authorities, and "now is free to continue his political activities."



Ben Dean, president of Kiwanis International, will be the principal speaker at an inter-club luncheon meeting sponsored by Victoria's Kiwanis Club at the Empress Hotel Wednesday noon.

Mr. Dean will discuss the role of Kiwanis in the war and post-war periods, as keynoted by the organization's administrative theme for 1945, "Win the War—Build for Peace."

### Where To Go Tonight

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**CADET**—Arturo de Cordova in "Frenchman's Creek."

**CAPITOL**—"Music for Millions," starring Margaret O'Brien.

**DOMINION**—Gracie Fields and Monty Woolley in "Molly and Me."

**OAK BAY PLAZA**—"Pardon My Rhythm," starring Gloria Jean.

**RIO**—"Boss of Big Town," starring John Little.

**YORK**—Van Johnson in "Two Girls and a Sailor."

### Dominion Holding Gracie and Monty

"Molly and Me," now at the Dominion Theatre, gives Gracie Fields an opportunity to make up in a heaping measure to the millions of her fans who regretted that she didn't sing a note in "Holy Matrimony." In her current film, Gracie, in addition to displaying her fine dramatic art, is the rollicking songstress and comedienne through which medium she became the world's highest paid entertainer. Gracie sings tunes of the type that made her famous, including: "I Passed by Your Window," "The Artfulness, the Sinfulness, the Wickedness of Men," "My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean," "Christopher Robbin" and others.

### ATLAS THEATRE

Every Paramount star you can think of, and more than that, is in the long-heralded musical comedy, "Star Spangled Rhythm," which is now at the Atlas Theatre.

And by "every Paramount star you can think of" we mean such outstanding favorites as Bing Crosby, Bob Hope, Fred MacMurray, Franchot Tone, Ray Milland, Victor Moore, Dorothy Lamour, Paulette Goddard, Vera Zorina, Mary Martin, Dick Powell, Betty Hutton, Eddie Bracken, Veronica Lake, Alan Ladd, Rochester and many others.

### CAPITOL THEATRE

Seven-year-old Margaret O'Brien and Jose Iturbi, both featured in M-G-M's "Music for Millions," which is at the Capitol Theatre, had two lunch dates which Iturbi had to cancel. After apologizing, Iturbi invited the tiny actress for a third time.

"Don't you think I ought to break this date?" Margaret asked her mother. "I shouldn't seem too anxious to have lunch with him after he broke our other appointments."

### OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES

Petite Patsy O'Connor, 15-year-old actress who plays one of the top supporting roles in Universal's "Pardon My Rhythm," now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres, is a "veteran" performer with 14 years of stage experience behind her. In other words, the footlights first beamed on Patsy at the age of six months.

Miss O'Connor's parents, John and Mildred O'Connor, were prominent entertainers in the vaudeville circuits. Her father is a brother of the famous Donald O'Connor, Universal star.

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### CADET THEATRE

"Frenchman's Creek" was adapted for the screen from the Daphne du Maurier romantic best-seller and is showing at the Cadet Theatre. The famous story of "Rebecca" by Miss du Maurier was one of the greatest successes in screen history and also starred Miss Fontaine.

### YORK THEATRE

June Allyson and Gloria De Haven nursed a scratched hand and bruised cheek, respectively, as the result of the rough and tumble, dress-ripping, hair-pulling fight they staged for the dream sequence in M-G-M's "Two Girls and a Sailor," at the York Theatre, in which they battled over Van Johnson. When the fight was finished the two starlets' worries were not how they looked—and they were really bedagglled—but whether they had hurt each other. Then each went to her own dressing room and had a good cry, from the emotional reaction!

### Athlete Freed

P.O. Bill "Duff" McCaghey, 21, R.C.A.F., one of Victoria's most promising athletes, listed missing in action early last year and later reported prisoner of war, has been liberated and is in the United Kingdom, according to word received Sunday by his father, W. McCaghey, 1607 Morrison Street. An air gunner, McCaghey had been overseas six months when reported missing.

"Duff," as he was popularly known in the sports world, estab-

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